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NOTE.

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STATISTICAL SUMMARY.—JANUARY, 1915.

Section I.—Population and Vital Statistics.

No. 1.—AREA AND POPULATION.

States and Territories.	Area Square Miles.	Population (Exclusive of Full-blooded Australian Aborigines).						
		Census—3rd April, 1911.				Estimated 30th Sept., 1914.*		
		Males.	Females.	Total.	Per 100sq. miles	Males.	Females.	Total.
N.S.W. ...	309,460	857,698	789,036	1,646,734	532	973,867	888,677	1,862,544
Victoria ...	87,884	655,591	659,960	1,315,551	1,497	717,367	713,511	1,430,878
Queensland	670,500	329,506	276,307	605,813	90	370,107	313,407	683,514
Sth. Aust. ...	380,070	207,358	201,200	408,558	108	222,115	219,955	442,070
West Aust ...	975,920	161,565	120,549	282,114	29	182,682	143,522	326,204
Tasmania ...	26,215	97,591	93,620	191,211	729	102,185	95,105	197,290
Northern Ter.	523,620	2,734	576	3,310	0.6	3,112	711	3,823
Federal Ter.	912	992	722	1,714	190	1,834	1,045	2,879
C'wealth ...	2,974,581	2,313,035	2,141,970	4,455,005	150	2,573,269	2,375,933	4,949,202

* Subject to amendment.

No. 2.—ESTIMATED POPULATION EXCLUSIVE OF FULL-BLOODED ABORIGINES.

31st Dec.	New South Wales.	Victoria.	Q'land.	South Australia.	Western Australia.	Tasmania	Nor. Ter.	Fed. Ter.	Commonwealth.
1900	1,360,305	1,196,213	493,847	357,250	179,967	172,900	4,857	...	3,765,339
1901	1,375,455	1,209,900	506,721	359,330	193,601	175,233	4,673	...	3,824,913
1902	1,401,943	1,208,231	512,240	357,007	211,973	179,450	4,474	...	3,875,318
1903	1,425,183	1,204,742	517,728	357,033	224,748	182,924	4,234	...	3,916,592
1904	1,455,458	1,205,608	524,935	359,368	239,408	185,167	4,206	...	3,974,150
1905	1,487,884	1,210,421	531,482	362,621	250,138	186,385	4,046	...	4,032,977
1906	1,521,618	1,219,832	538,973	366,513	255,173	185,472	3,904	...	4,091,485
1907	1,561,572	1,232,807	545,805	373,663	254,540	189,598	3,737	...	4,161,722
1908	1,583,923	1,250,449	557,099	385,831	259,671	191,733	3,572	...	4,232,278
1909	1,613,899	1,277,022	577,845	392,897	265,675	193,119	3,503	...	4,323,960
1910	1,643,855	1,301,408	599,016	406,868	276,832	193,803	3,301	...	4,425,083
1911	1,696,475	1,339,102	622,129	418,172	294,181	193,479	3,248	1,921*	4,568,707
1912	1,777,534	1,380,561	636,425	430,090	306,129	197,205	3,475	1,940	4,733,359
1913	1,831,716	1,412,119	660,158	440,047	320,684	201,675	3,672	1,988	4,872,059

* Formerly part of New South Wales.

No. 3.—ESTIMATED INCREASE OF POPULATION.

States and Territories.	1901.	1910.	1911.	1912.	1913.	Nine months of	
						1914.	1913.

NATURAL INCREASE (EXCESS OF BIRTHS OVER DEATHS).

New South Wales...	21,854	29,286	30,391	32,999	32,487	26,329	24,540
Victoria ...	15,104	16,705	17,810	19,207	20,496	15,162	15,318
Queensland ...	8,296	10,425	10,440	11,817	12,948	10,076	9,879
South Australia ...	5,046	6,484	7,019	7,743	7,934	6,393	6,098
Western Australia...	3,199	4,845	5,168	5,354	6,284	4,744	4,803
Tasmania ...	3,116	3,466	3,510	3,796	3,755	3,100	2,669
Northern Territory	a	a	— 34	— 34	— 12	— 20	— 2
Federal Territory ...	b	b	20	29	33	31	31
Total ...	56,615	71,211	74,324	80,911	83,925	65,815	63,336

NET IMMIGRATION (EXCESS OF IMMIGRATION OVER EMIGRATION).

New South Wales...	— 6,704	670	23,874	48,060	21,695	4,499	19,636
Victoria ...	— 1,417	7,681	19,884	22,252	11,062	3,597	3,446
Queensland ...	4,578	10,746	12,673	2,479	10,785	13,280	14,528
South Australia ...	— 3,150	7,285	4,285	4,175	2,023	— 4,370	— 1,197
Western Australia...	10,435	6,312	12,181	6,594	8,271	776	7,144
Tasmania ...	— 783	— 2,782	— 3,834	— 70	715	— 7,485	— 4,268
Northern Territory	a	a	— 19	261	209	171	341
Federal Territory ...	b	b	256	— 10	15	860	300
Total ...	2,959	29,912	69,300	83,741	54,775	11,328	39,930

TOTAL ESTIMATED INCREASE.

New South Wales...	15,150	29,956	54,265	81,059	54,182	30,828	44,176
Victoria ...	13,687	24,386	37,694	41,459	31,558	18,759	18,764
Queensland ...	12,874	21,171	23,113	14,296	23,733	23,356	24,407
South Australia ...	1,896	13,769	11,304	11,918	9,957	2,023	4,901
Western Australia...	13,634	11,157	17,349	11,948	14,555	5,520	11,947
Tasmania ...	2,333	684	— 324	3,726	4,470	— 4,385	— 1,599
Northern Territory	a	a	— 53	227	197	151	339
Federal Territory ...	b	b	276	19	48	891	331
Total ...	59,574	101,123	143,624	164,652	138,700	77,143	103,266

(a) Included with South Australia.

(b) Included with New South Wales.

No. 4—BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES.

QUARTER ENDED 30th SEPTEMBER, 1914.

States and Territories.	Births.			Deaths.			Marriages
	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males	Females.	Total.	
New South Wales ...	7,304	7,065	14,369	2,772	2,040	4,812	4,129
Victoria ...	4,797	4,653	9,450	2,320	1,937	4,257	2,892
Queensland ...	2,644	2,548	5,192	1,009	675	1,684	1,367
South Australia ...	1,737	1,658	3,395	684	504	1,188	969
Western Australia ...	1,238	1,264	2,502	508	243	751	633
Tasmania ...	811	832	1,643	280	221	501	349
Northern Territory	13	7	20	21	1	22	2
Federal Territory ...	8	5	13	1	1	2	1
Commonwealth	18,552	18,032	36,584	7,595	5,622	13,217	10,342

States and Territories.	1901.	1910.	1911.	1912.	1913.	Nine months of	
						1914.	1913

BIRTHS.—NUMBER, 1901-1914.

New South Wales ...	37,875	45,444	47,537	51,861	52,186	40,294	39,198
Victoria ...	31,008	31,437	33,026	35,796	35,970	27,297	27,207
Queensland ...	14,303	16,169	16,984	18,738	19,731	15,066	14,819
South Australia ...	9,079	10,540	11,057	12,079	12,627	9,690	9,564
Western Australia ...	5,718	7,585	8,091	8,689	9,218	7,127	7,014
Tasmania ...	4,930	5,586	5,437	5,853	5,886	4,429	4,307
Northern Territory	32	40	31	33	52	44	41
Federal Territory ...	...	...	30	39	44	35	37
Commonwealth	102,945	116,801	122,193	133,088	135,714	103,982	102,187

BIRTH RATES.—PER 1000 OF MEAN POPULATION.

						*	*
New South Wales ...	27.78	27.83	28.60	29.86	28.86	29.06	29.00
Victoria ...	25.77	24.51	25.01	26.39	25.82	25.62	26.11
Queensland ...	28.52	27.33	27.65	29.67	30.24	29.85	30.39
South Australia ...	25.41	26.50	26.89	28.65	29.12	29.43	29.47
Western Australia ...	30.39	27.99	28.21	28.83	29.36	29.44	29.98
Tasmania ...	28.58	29.25	28.57	30.53	30.03	29.80	29.40
Northern Territory	6.71	11.75	9.34	9.82	14.21	15.88	15.05
Federal Territory ...	...	...	16.85	19.15	17.97	16.93	22.25
Commonwealth	27.16	26.73	27.21	28.65	28.25	28.24	28.46

* Equivalent annual rate.

BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES (Continued).

States and Territories.	1901.	1910.	1911.	1912.	1913.	Nine months of	
						1914.	1913.

DEATHS.—NUMBER, 1901-1913.

New South Wales ...	16,021	16,158	17,146	18,862	19,699	14,168	14,658
Victoria ...	15,904	14,732	15,216	16,589	15,474	12,240	11,889
Queensland ...	6,007	5,744	6,544	6,921	6,783	5,001	4,940
South Australia ...	3,974	4,014	4,038	4,336	4,693	3,486	3,466
Western Australia ...	2,519	2,740	2,923	3,335	2,934	2,318	2,211
Tasmania ...	1,814	2,120	1,927	2,057	2,131	1,448	1,638
Northern Territory	91	82	65	67	64	68	43
Federal Territory ...	...	...	10	10	11	9	6
Commonwealth	46,330	45,590	47,869	52,177	51,789	38,738	38,851

DEATH RATES.—PER 1000 OF MEAN POPULATION.

New South Wales ...	11.75	9.89	10.32	10.86	10.89	*	*
Victoria ...	13.22	11.49	11.52	12.23	11.11	11.49	11.41
Queensland ...	11.98	9.71	10.65	10.96	10.39	9.91	10.13
South Australia ...	11.12	10.09	9.82	10.28	10.82	10.59	10.68
Western Australia ...	13.39	10.11	10.19	11.06	9.34	9.57	9.44
Tasmania ...	10.51	11.10	10.13	10.73	10.87	9.74	11.18
Northern Territory	19.10	24.10	19.58	19.95	17.49	24.59	15.79
Federal Territory ...	...	...	5.62	4.91	4.49	4.35	3.60
Commonwealth	12.22	10.43	10.66	11.23	10.78	10.46	10.81

MARRIAGES.—NUMBER, 1901-1913.

New South Wales ...	10,538	14,307	15,278	16,666	16,307	13,182	12,163
Victoria ...	8,406	10,239	11,088	11,738	11,324	8,889	8,309
Queensland ...	3,341	4,768	5,167	5,627	5,655	4,366	4,196
South Australia ...	2,304	3,661	4,036	4,056	4,094	3,093	3,073
Western Australia ...	1,821	2,107	2,421	2,524	2,572	1,992	1,894
Tasmania ...	1,338	1,493	1,477	1,506	1,620	1,164	1,214
Northern Territory	5	17	10	24	16	11	11
Federal Territory ...	...	...	5	6	6	1	6
Commonwealth	27,753	36,592	39,482	42,147	41,594	32,698	30,866

* Equivalent annual rate.

BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES (Continued).

States and Territories.	1901.	1910.	1911.	1912.	1913.	Nine months of	
						1914.	1913.

MARRIAGE RATES.—PER 1000 OF MEAN POPULATION.

						*	*
New South Wales ...	7.73	8.76	9.24	9.60	9.02	9.51	9.00
Victoria ...	6.99	7.98	8.34	8.65	8.13	8.34	7.97
Queensland ...	6.66	8.06	8.41	8.91	8.67	8.65	8.61
South Australia ...	6.45	9.20	9.81	9.62	9.40	9.39	9.43
Western Australia ...	9.68	7.77	8.44	8.37	8.19	8.23	8.09
Tasmania ...	7.76	7.82	7.76	7.86	8.27	7.83	8.28
Northern Territory	1.05	5.00	3.01	7.14	4.37	3.97	4.03
Federal Territory ...	...	...	2.81	2.95	2.45	0.48	3.60
Commonwealth	7.32	8.37	8.79	9.07	8.67	8.88	8.60

* Equivalent annual rate.

No. 5.—ESTIMATED MIGRATION—COMMONWEALTH, 1906-1914.

Year.				Arrivals.			Departures.		
				Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.
1906	...	...	...	33,818	17,069	50,887	37,346	18,590	55,936
1907	...	...	...	45,755	22,883	68,638	42,822	20,621	63,443
1908	...	...	...	48,677	23,531	72,208	45,390	21,381	66,771
1909	...	...	...	57,487	26,122	83,609	42,221	19,605	61,826
1910	...	...	...	65,745	29,947	95,692	45,704	20,076	65,780
1911	...	...	...	96,964	44,945	141,909	50,269	22,340	72,609
1912	...	...	...	110,387	56,571	166,958	59,076	24,141	83,217
1913	...	...	...	90,680	51,226	141,906	60,694	26,439	87,133
1914	...	...	..	74,277	36,809	111,086	99,644	28,312	127,956
1913, December	...	...	..	8,110	4,452	12,562	5,755	2,293	8,048
1914	..	...	...	4,149	2,276	6,425	5,331	1,911	7,242

MIGRATION, COMMONWEALTH.

No. 6.—ARRIVALS and DEPARTURES according to Nationality or Race of Persons who arrived in or departed from the Commonwealth during the Month of December, 1914 and 1913, together with the Total Numbers for the years 1914 and 1913.

Nationality or Race.	Arrivals.				Departures.			
	December,		Years		December,		Years	
	1914.	1913.	1914.	1913.	1914.	1913.	1914.	1913.
British ...	5,790	10,294	91,251	122,257	5,204	5,815	66,779	64,736
Austrian ...	2	70	629	774	...	46	285	431
Danish ...	23	59	422	382	29	12	213	162
Dutch ...	16	24	271	273	10	7	108	116
French ...	55	90	1,260	1,472	88	60	1,610	1,073
German ...	47	455	3,161	3,222	2	194	1,664	1,899
Greek ...	24	54	799	492	19	10	270	233
Italian ...	18	179	1,633	1,899	93	116	1,223	915
Norwegian ...	68	88	873	765	68	72	742	615
Russian ...	48	151	1,306	1,221	49	44	609	432
Spanish ...	4	13	153	153	4	5	37	60
Swedish ...	46	78	518	521	42	29	393	292
Swiss ...	6	9	209	186	3	1	53	20
Turkish ...	...	...	17	8	...	...	43	5
United States ...	72	193	1,496	1,644	146	76	1,438	377
Other White ...	34	75	999	627	40	5	225	66
Total, White Nationalities	6,253	11,832	104,997	135,896	5,797	6,492	75,692	71,432
Afghans ..	...	7	4	21	7	1	120	31
Chinese ...	104	297	3,572	3,349	194	346	3,950	3,354
Japanese ...	17	136	529	842	144	79	916	629
Malays ...	32	61	698	477	152	97	802	567
Natives of India & Ceylon	5	14	346	268	24	15	562	319
Syrians ...	...	21	23	74	...	1	7	24
Other Asiatics...	2	146	183	269	...	68	47	92
Negroes, American ...	2	4	23	7	...	...	11	24
Papuans ...	7	2	184	154	4	...	306	117
Polynesians, Melanesians	2	24	338	291	6	2	290	225
Other Coloured	1	18	189	258	66	10	324	229
Total, Coloured Nationalities or Races	172	730	6,089	6,010	597	619	7,335	5,611
Allowance for unrecorded departures ...	...	...	...	...	848	937	10,888	10,090
Expeditionary Forces ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	34,041	...
TOTAL, ALL NATIONALITIES OR RACES...	6,425	12,562	111,086	141,906	7,242	8,048	127,956	87,133

MIGRATION, COMMONWEALTH.

No. 7.—ARRIVALS and DEPARTURES according to the Countries whence the Persons arrived or to which they departed during the Month of December, 1914 and 1913, together with the Total Numbers for the Years 1914 and 1913.

Country.	Arrivals.				Departures.			
	December		Years		December		Years	
	1914.	1913.	1914.	1913.	1914.	1913.	1914.	1913.
United Kingdom ...	2,639	5,918	45,700	76,082	1,398	1,366	25,759	22,837
Canada ...	241	373	2,499	2,976	68	427	2,155	3,334
Cape Colony ...	234	275	2,671	2,598	125	66	1,117	1,090
Fiji ...	194	165	2,254	2,144	141	159	2,412	2,158
Hong Kong ...	71	336	3,407	3,271	114	261	3,175	3,187
India and Ceylon ...	161	168	2,369	2,268	353	229	2,052	1,675
Natal ...	7	24	235	551	71	73	798	1,229
New Zealand ...	1,997	2,518	30,318	28,286	2,759	2,985	25,555	24,094
Norfolk Island ...	11	20	219	185	33	22	195	140
Papua ...	162	126	1,512	1,286	120	29	1,602	1,172
Straits Settlements ...	43	226	858	1,433	340	168	1,699	1,257
Other British Possessions	70	59	1,185	486	125	86	1,535	712
Total, British Countries	5,830	10,208	93,227	121,566	5,647	5,871	68,054	62,885
China ...	...	4	331	354	36	25	333	432
France ...	7	232	1,648	2,430	29	164	1,912	2,025
Germany ...	8	268	1,837	1,810	...	89	919	1,094
Italy... ..	2	464	2,819	3,909	39	187	1,896	1,933
Japan ...	50	116	942	1,041	35	29	961	756
New Caledonia ...	107	77	1,368	1,204	15	38	709	529
South Sea Islands ...	39	134	1,460	1,347	46	121	1,257	1,063
United States... ..	239	307	2,750	2,831	393	106	3,756	3,128
Other Foreign Countries	143	702	4,704	5,414	154	481	3,230	3,198
Total, Foreign Countries	595	2,354	17,859	20,340	747	1,240	14,973	14,158
Allowance for unrecorded departures ...	...	...	...	...	848	937	10,888	10,090
Expeditionary Forces ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	34,041	...
TOTAL, ALL COUNTRIES	6,425	12,562	111,086	141,906	7,242	8,048	127,956	87,133

No. 8.—NOMINATED AND SELECTED IMMIGRANTS WHO ARRIVED IN THE COMMONWEALTH DURING JANUARY, 1915.

State.	Nominated.			Selected.			Total.
	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	
N. S. Wales ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Victoria ...	...	...	...	19	8	27	27
Queensland* ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
S. Australia ...	10	14	24	...	...	...	24
W. Australia ...	45	62	107	5	4	9	116
Tasmania* ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total, January	55	76	131	24	12	36	167
Total Year 1914	5,038	6,585	11,623	6,417	2,787	9,204	20,827
„ „ 1913	11,232	14,627	25,859	7,570	4,016	11,586	37,445
„ „ 1912	14,738	15,744	30,482	9,942	6,288	16,230	46,712
„ „ 1911	9,930	9,230	19,160	13,592	7,044	20,636	39,796

* Not available.

Section II.—Production.

No. 9.—PRINCIPAL CROPS IN THE COMMONWEALTH, 1901-14.

AREA UNDER CROPS.

Season.	Grain.			Hay.	Sugar Cane.	Total under Crops.
	Wheat.	Oats.	Maize.			
	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.
1901-2 ...	5,115,965	461,430	294,849	1,688,402	132,840	8,414,054
1907-8 ...	5,383,911	642,815	299,579	1,812,579	144,763	9,353,902
1908-9 ...	5,262,473	676,156	323,875	2,452,682	140,883	9,891,243
1909-10 ...	6,586,236	698,448	364,585	2,228,029	142,261	10,972,299
1910-11 ...	7,372,456	676,688	414,914	2,258,405	155,542	11,893,838
1911-12 ...	7,427,834	616,857	340,065	2,518,288	144,283	12,107,017
1912-13 ...	7,339,651	874,284	314,936	3,217,041	155,567	13,038,049
1913-14 ...	9,287,398	859,020	331,879	2,754,672	160,976	14,683,012

TOTAL YIELD.

Season.	Grain.			Hay.	Sugar Cane.
	Wheat.	Oats.	Maize.		
	Bushels.	Bushels.	Bushels.	Tons.	Tons.
1901-2 ...	38,561,619	9,789,854	7,034,786	2,024,608	1,367,802
1907-8 ...	44,655,673	9,185,227	8,137,745	1,748,858	1,942,418
1908-9 ...	62,590,996	16,248,857	8,655,279	3,137,374	1,578,075
1909-10 ...	90,413,597	14,734,868	10,770,648	3,153,196	1,294,575
1910-11 ...	95,111,983	15,428,456	13,044,081	3,176,391	2,000,758
1911-12 ...	71,636,347	9,561,771	9,039,855	2,867,973	1,682,250
1912-13 ...	91,981,070	16,116,712	8,356,158	3,955,311	1,135,141
1913-14 ...	103,344,132	15,232,048	9,173,321	3,372,596	2,271,558

AVERAGE YIELD PER ACRE.

	Bushels.	Bushels.	Bushels.	Tons.	Tons.*
1901-2 ...	7.54	21.22	23.86	1.20	15.73
1907-8 ...	8.29	14.29	27.16	0.96	18.62
1908-9 ...	11.89	24.03	26.72	1.28	15.91
1909-10 ...	13.73	21.10	29.54	1.42	14.95
1910-11 ...	12.90	22.80	31.44	1.41	19.96
1911-12 ...	9.64	15.50	26.29	1.14	16.65
1912-13 ...	12.53	18.43	26.53	1.23	13.47
1913-14 ...	11.13	17.73	27.56	1.22	20.84

* Per acre of productive cane.

AREA UNDER WHEAT—STATES AND COMMONWEALTH, 1901-14.

Season.	N.S.W.	Victoria.	Q'land.	S. Aust.	W. Aust.	Tas.	N. Ter.	C'wealth.
	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.
1901-2	1,392,070	1,754,417	87,232	1,743,452	94,710	44,084	...	5,115,965
1907-8	1,390,171	1,847,121	82,461	1,753,755	279,609	30,794	...	5,383,911
1908-9	1,394,056	1,779,905	80,898	1,693,501	285,011	29,102	...	5,262,473
1909-10	1,990,180	2,097,162	117,160	1,895,738	448,918	37,078	...	6,586,236
1910-1	2,128,826	2,398,089	106,718	2,104,717	581,862	52,242	2	7,372,456
1911-2	†2,380,710	2,164,066	42,962	2,190,782	612,104	37,208	2	7,427,834
1912-3	†2,231,514	2,085,216	124,963	2,079,633	793,096	25,226	3	7,339,651
1913-4	†3,205,397	2,565,861	132,655	2,267,851	1,097,193	18,432	9	9,287,398

† Including Federal Territory, 742 acres 1911-12, 1014 acres 1912-13, and 1825 acres 1913-14.

TOTAL YIELD OF WHEAT—STATES AND COMMONWEALTH, 1901-14.

Season	N.S.W.	Victoria.	Q'land.	S. Aust.	W. Aust.	Tasmania	N. Ter.	C'wealth.
	Bushels.	Bushels.	Bushels.	Bushels.	Bushels.	Bushels.	Bushels.	Bushels.
1901-2	14,808,705	12,127,382	1,692,222	8,012,762	956,886	963,662	...	38,561,619
1907-8	9,155,884	12,100,780	693,527	19,135,557	2,925,690	644,235	...	44,655,673
1908-9	15,483,276	23,345,649	1,202,799	19,397,672	2,460,823	700,777	...	62,590,996
1909-10	28,532,029	28,780,100	1,571,589	25,133,851	5,602,368	793,660	...	90,413,597
1910-1	27,913,547	34,813,019	1,022,373	24,344,740	5,897,540	1,120,744	20	95,111,983
1911-2	*25,088,102	20,891,877	285,109	20,352,720	4,358,904	659,615	20	71,636,347
1912-3	*32,487,336	26,223,104	1,975,505	21,496,216	9,168,594	630,315	...	91,981,070
1913-4	*38,020,381	32,936,245	1,769,432	16,936,988	13,331,350	349,736	...	103,344,132

* Including Federal Territory, 7991 bushels 1911-12, 20,830 bushels 1912-13, and 24,313 bushels 1913-14.

AVERAGE YIELD OF WHEAT PER ACRE—STATES AND COMMONWEALTH, 1901-14.

	Bushels.	Bushels.	Bushels.	Bushels.	Bushels.	Bushels.	Bushels.	Bushels.
1901-2	10.64	6.91	19.40	4.60	10.10	21.86	...	7.54
1907-8	6.59	6.55	8.41	10.91	10.46	20.92	...	8.29
1908-9	11.11	13.12	14.87	11.45	8.63	24.08	...	11.89
1909-10	14.34	13.72	13.41	13.26	12.48	21.41	...	13.73
1910-1	13.11	14.52	9.58	11.57	10.14	21.45	10.00	12.90
1911-2	10.54	9.65	6.64	9.29	7.12	17.73	10.00	9.64
1912-3	14.56	12.58	15.81	10.34	11.56	24.99	...	12.53
1913-4	11.86	12.84	13.34	7.47	12.15	18.97	...	11.13

No. 10.—NUMBER OF PRINCIPAL LIVE STOCK—STATES AND COMMONWEALTH, 1901-13.

Year.	N.S.W.	Victoria.	Q'land.	S. Aust.	W. Aust.	Tasmania	N. Ter.	Fed. Ter.*	C'wealth.
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SHEEP.

1901 ...	41,857,099	10,673,265	10,030,971	5,012,216	2,625,855	1,792,481	48,324	..	72,040,211
1907 ...	44,461,839	14,146,734	16,738,047	6,829,637	3,684,974	1,744,800	44,232	..	87,650,263
1908 ...	43,370,797	12,545,742	18,348,851	6,898,451	4,097,324	1,728,053	54,048	..	87,043,266
1909 ...	46,202,578	12,937,953	19,593,791	6,432,038	4,731,737	1,734,761	43,393	..	91,676,281
1910 ...	45,560,969	12,882,665	20,331,838	6,267,477	5,158,516	1,788,310	57,240	..	92,047,015
1911 ...	44,722,523	13,857,804	20,740,981	6,171,907	5,411,542	1,823,017	50,983	224,764	93,003,521
1912 ...	38,855,861	11,892,224	20,310,036	5,481,489	4,596,958	1,862,669	75,808	188,641	83,263,686
1913 ...	39,701,348	12,113,682	21,786,600	5,073,057	4,421,375	1,745,356	67,109	148,875	85,057,402

CATTLE.

1901 ...	2,047,454	1,623,282	3,772,707	225,256	398,547	168,661	255,521	..	8,491,428
1907 ...	2,751,193	1,842,807	3,892,232	334,671	717,377	215,523	374,683	..	10,128,486
1908 ...	2,955,934	1,574,162	4,321,600	340,376	741,788	205,827	407,992	..	10,547,679
1909 ...	3,027,727	1,549,640	4,711,782	344,034	793,217	199,945	414,046	..	11,040,391
1910 ...	3,140,307	1,547,569	5,131,699	384,862	825,040	201,854	513,383	..	11,744,714
1911 ...	3,185,824	1,647,127	5,073,201	393,566	843,638	217,406	459,780	8,412	11,828,954
1912 ...	3,033,726	1,508,089	5,210,891	383,418	806,294	222,181	405,552	7,108	11,577,259
1913 ...	2,815,113	1,528,553	5,322,033	352,905	834,265	205,743	417,643	7,627	11,483,882

HORSES.

1901 ...	486,716	387,277	462,119	165,303	73,710	32,399	12,896	..	1,620,420
1907 ...	578,326	424,648	488,486	208,639	113,330	40,392	17,893	..	1,871,714
1908 ...	591,045	424,903	519,969	213,385	116,795	39,883	21,751	..	1,927,731
1909 ...	604,784	442,829	555,613	230,405	125,315	40,492	23,479	..	2,022,917
1910 ...	650,636	472,080	593,813	249,326	134,114	41,388	24,509	..	2,165,866
1911 ...	687,242	507,813	618,954	259,719	140,277	41,853	21,407	1,762	2,279,027
1912 ...	714,952	530,494	674,573	276,539	147,629	44,039	18,382	1,505	2,408,113
1913 ...	744,458	562,331	706,472	283,641	156,636	43,941	22,792	1,712	2,521,983

PIGS.

1901 ...	265,730	334,295	121,641	88,886	61,052	58,716	989	..	931,309
1907 ...	216,145	211,002	133,246	90,741	53,399	46,704	2,864	..	754,101
1908 ...	215,822	179,358	124,749	78,454	46,652	47,943	2,711	..	695,689
1909 ...	237,849	217,921	124,803	80,410	47,062	55,705	1,387	..	765,137
1910 ...	321,632	333,281	152,212	96,386	57,628	63,715	996	..	1,025,850
1911 ...	370,700	348,069	173,902	93,130	55,635	67,392	1,500	393	1,110,721
1912 ...	293,450	240,072	143,695	69,832	47,351	49,152	1,500	203	845,255
1913 ...	287,896	221,277	140,045	64,119	47,966	37,990	1,018	194	800,505

* Part of New South Wales prior to 1911.

No. 11.—WOOL (AS IN THE GREASE) PRODUCED—STATES AND COMMONWEALTH, SEASONS 1910-11 to 1912-14.

Season ended 30th June.	N.S.W.*	Victoria.	Q'land. †	S. Aust.	W. Aust.	Tasmania	N. Ter.	C'wealth.
	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.
1911 ...	374,907,068	101,803,644	139,250,802	63,613,781	29,984,453	11,338,540	400,000	721,298,288
1912 ...	371,546,415	110,463,041	142,382,269	60,056,470	30,833,837	10,726,593	400,000	726,408,625
1913 ...	326,804,000	88,762,612	136,878,270	56,691,036	26,849,981	12,416,014	450,000	648,851,913
1914 ...	357,985,000	106,833,690	154,183,114	55,014,048	26,625,787	10,092,564	400,000	711,134,203

* Including Federal Territory. † For year ended previous 31st December.

No. 12.—PRINCIPAL DAIRY PRODUCE—STATES AND COMMONWEALTH, 1901-13.

Year	N.S.W.	Victoria.	Q'land	S. Aust.	W. Aust.	Tasmania	N. T.	Fed. Ter.*	C'wealth.
BUTTER.									
	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.
1901 ...	39,056,878	46,857,572	9,741,882	4,954,523	336,440	723,771	...	...	101,671,066
1907 ...	60,041,429	63,746,354	22,789,158	8,519,340	436,529	847,860	...	...	156,380,670
1908 ...	61,380,876	48,461,398	23,838,357	8,130,560	365,593	3,140,573	...	...	145,317,357
1909 ...	62,865,608	55,166,555	24,592,711	8,482,168	414,453	2,751,757	...	...	154,273,252
1910 ...	76,624,830	70,603,787	31,258,333	10,717,486	641,491	3,365,982	...	...	193,211,909
1911 ...	83,176,938	86,500,474	27,858,535	9,694,666	498,047	3,817,455	27,630	...	211,573,745
1912 ...	76,592,967	67,655,834	30,307,339	8,394,557	448,799	3,778,104	16,561	...	187,194,161
1913 ...	77,766,703	73,381,567	35,199,387	8,036,274	518,566	3,843,247	12,494	...	198,758,238

CHEESE.

	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.
1901 ...	3,838,835	3,974,668	2,436,912	1,053,160	3,578	268,539	...	...	11,575,692
1907 ...	4,586,857	4,397,909	2,684,588	1,385,790	580	327,839	...	...	13,383,563
1908 ...	4,763,360	4,328,644	3,199,510	1,556,894	980	910,400	...	...	14,759,788
1909 ...	4,775,268	5,025,834	3,662,497	1,578,378	1,570	731,290	...	...	15,774,837
1910 ...	5,191,089	4,530,893	4,146,661	1,796,281	3,306	868,781	...	...	16,537,011
1911 ...	5,460,652	4,549,843	3,718,257	1,526,930	900	630,130	...	...	15,886,712
1912 ...	5,454,685	4,176,778	3,947,615	1,958,027	...	623,386	...	...	16,160,491
1913 ...	6,620,648	4,856,321	5,395,050	2,216,985	...	654,411	...	...	19,743,415

BACON AND HAMS.

	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.
1901 ...	11,080,891	15,011,616	7,064,714	...	333,393	530,015	...	...	34,020,629
1907 ...	10,358,526	17,545,720	10,015,008	2,311,004	209,419	279,504	...	...	40,719,181
1908 ...	9,488,299	14,411,401	11,324,323	3,392,162	152,896	1,333,856	...	...	40,102,937
1909 ...	9,931,377	13,620,485	9,228,317	3,348,050	120,623	1,526,115	...	...	37,774,967
1910 ...	12,620,067	16,438,837	10,758,963	3,741,942	121,154	1,468,789	...	...	45,149,752
1911 ...	16,080,157	19,546,772	11,667,654	4,311,497	97,136	1,538,766	22,670	...	53,264,652
1912 ...	16,511,180	20,043,706	12,437,019	3,771,064	114,950	1,299,060	15,196	...	54,192,175
1913 ...	15,180,378	19,289,258	13,709,716	3,265,773	100,143	1,116,535	11,885	...	52,673,688

* Part of New South Wales prior to 1911.

No. 13.—VALUE OF PRINCIPAL MINERALS PRODUCED—STATES AND COMMONWEALTH, 1901-14.

Year.	N.S.W.	Victoria.	Q'land.	S. Aust.	W. Aust.	Tasmania	N. Ter.	C'wealth.
GOLD.								
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1901 ...	737,164	3,102,753	2,541,764	34,741	7,235,653	295,176	58,481	14,005,732
1907 ...	1,050,730	2,954,617	1,978,938	20,540	7,210,749	277,607	21,928	13,515,109
1908 ...	954,884	2,849,838	1,975,554	12,300	6,999,882	242,482	23,943	13,058,853
1909 ...	869,546	2,778,956	1,935,178	30,206	6,776,274	190,201	24,148	12,604,509
1910 ...	802,211	2,422,745	1,874,955	28,000	6,246,848	157,370	21,711	11,553,840
1911 ...	769,353	2,140,855	1,640,323	15,000	5,823,075	132,108	30,910	10,551,624
1912 ...	702,129	2,039,464	1,477,979	28,000	5,448,385	161,300	22,671	9,879,928
1913 ...	635,703	1,847,475	1,128,768	27,500	5,581,701	141,876	13,250	9,376,573
1914*	528,873	1,740,320	1,055,114	...	5,237,351	...	...	...
1915†	72,431	69,946	43,871	...	419,495	...	...	...

SILVER AND LEAD.

	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1901 ...	1,954,964	6,550	69,234	3,196	7,718	325,335	690	2,367,687
1907 ...	4,290,128	4,355	187,870	11,780	26,674	572,560	2,093	5,095,460
1908 ...	2,346,941	2,835	206,716	9,000	23,883	322,007	30	2,911,412
1909 ...	1,839,688	2,310	167,636	673	19,577	298,880	...	2,329,164
1910 ...	2,110,040	2,090	123,086	907	20,210	247,576	...	2,503,909
1911 ...	2,652,548	2,135	79,765	140	33,335	253,361	...	3,021,284
1912 ...	3,745,796	2,200	121,855	326	38,918	309,098	820	4,219,013
1913 ...	4,173,867	2,074	134,121	1,400	82,422	319,997	2,228	4,716,109

* Not yet available for all States. † Month of January. Not available for all States.

PRODUCTION.

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Year.	N.S.W.	Victoria.	Q'land.	S. Aust.	W. Aust.	Tasmania	N. Ter.	C'wealth
COPPER.								
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1901	412,292	...	194,227	493,962	75,246	1,026,748	6,115	2,208,590
1907	727,774	2,356	1,028,179	690,000	203,376	869,666	15,031	3,536,382
1908	502,812	3,928	893,535	338,000	57,091	609,651	7,968	2,412,985
1909	424,737	44	853,196	338,587	104,644	608,038	3,742	2,332,988
1910	486,257	450	932,489	306,120	95,928	566,972	1,196	2,389,412
1911	590,102	2,088	1,151,351	332,500	78,118	408,649	1,470	2,564,278
1912	579,791	...	1,698,280	461,500	60,537	440,444	3,998	3,244,550
1913	598,733	2,829	1,660,178	483,986	142,513	375,664	482	3,269,385

TIN.								
1901	76,544	4,181	93,723	...	40,000	212,542	5,586	432,576
1907	293,305	10,531	496,766	...	166,139	501,681	41,365	1,509,787
1908	205,447	6,070	341,566	...	83,595	421,580	35,876	1,094,134
1909	211,029	7,067	244,927	...	65,959	418,165	32,741	979,888
1910	228,156	3,706	243,271	...	45,129	399,393	31,113	950,768
1911	307,089	3,417	307,847	...	55,220	513,500	22,900	1,209,973
1912	338,074	5,733	364,503	...	70,578	543,103	27,001	1,348,992
1913	421,292	6,959	343,669	...	72,142	531,983	25,526	1,401,571

COAL.								
1901	2,178,929	147,228	189,877	...	68,561	18,175	...	2,602,770
1907	2,922,419	79,706	222,135	...	55,158	23,556	...	3,302,974
1908	3,353,093	64,778	244,922	...	75,694	24,427	...	3,762,914
1909	2,618,596	76,945	270,726	...	90,965	26,464	...	3,083,696
1910	3,009,657	189,254	322,822	...	113,699	48,609	...	3,684,041
1911	3,167,165	301,142	323,998	...	111,154	26,214	...	3,929,673
1912	3,660,015	259,321	338,264	...	135,857	24,568	...	4,418,025
1913	3,770,375	274,940	403,767	...	153,614	25,367	...	4,628,063

ALL MINERALS.								
1901	5,679,362	3,262,212	3,114,574	658,408	7,444,772	1,883,776	*	22,043,104
1907	10,292,119	3,086,812	4,131,603	814,220	7,634,065	2,250,658	91,868	28,301,346
1908	8,381,516	2,963,047	3,840,248	457,900	7,245,003	1,622,547	70,042	24,580,303
1909	7,406,940	2,900,624	3,655,198	413,390	7,059,052	1,545,222	64,736	23,045,162
1910	8,449,919	2,629,701	3,708,547	411,862	6,522,263	1,432,193	60,706	23,215,191
1911	9,405,301	2,463,865	3,658,738	437,604	6,105,553	1,349,497	59,353	23,480,211
1912	11,226,602	2,331,294	4,175,355	584,458	5,760,207	1,493,502	57,820	25,629,238
1913	11,649,089	2,171,477	3,857,881	632,519	6,036,265	1,415,700	44,626	25,807,557

* Included with South Australia.

No. 14.—ESTIMATED VALUE OF AUSTRALIAN PRODUCTION, 1906-13.

Year.	Agricultural.	Pastoral.	Dairy, Poultry, and Bee Farming.	Forestry & Fisheries.	Mining.	Manufacturing. (a)	Total.
	£1000.	£1000.	£1000.	£1000.	£1000.	£1000.	£1000.
1906	25,349	45,389	13,611	4,879	26,622	33,205	149,055
1907	30,500	50,660	15,584	4,826	28,301	36,155	166,026
1908	37,150	47,259	15,045	4,286	24,580	36,637	164,957
1909	41,056	50,864	15,064	4,462	23,039	39,713	174,198
1910	39,752	56,993	17,387	4,789	23,215	45,598	187,734
1911	38,774	50,725	19,107	5,728	23,480	50,767	188,581
1912	45,754	51,615	20,280	6,432	25,629	57,022	206,732
1913	46,260	57,866	20,341	6,338	25,808	61,586	218,199

(a) These amounts differ from those given in the Tables No. 15 and 17, owing to certain products which are there included having been included in Dairy Farming and Forestry in this Table.

No. 15.—MANUFACTURING INDUSTRIES IN THE COMMONWEALTH, 1907-13.

Year.	No. of Establishments.	Hands Employed.	Salaries and Wages Paid.	Val. of Plant, Machinery, Land and Buildings.	Value of Materials Used.	Value added by Manufacture.	Value of Output.
1907	12,555	248,859	18,323,977	49,444,882	55,486,012	38,063,153	93,549,165
1908	12,853	257,494	19,884,367	52,592,439	60,959,226	38,570,405	99,529,631
1909	13,197	266,405	21,105,456	54,533,907	64,028,881	41,929,447	105,958,328
1910	13,822	286,963	23,870,540	58,489,474	72,796,236	48,063,922	120,860,158
1911	14,455	311,772	27,531,876	64,098,144	79,041,576	53,980,514	133,022,090
1912	14,878	327,456	31,287,492	69,270,051	88,275,620	60,499,787	148,775,407
1913	15,536	337,101	33,606,087	74,129,678	96,407,477	65,153,286	161,560,763

* Exclusive of amounts drawn by working proprietors.

No. 16.—MANUFACTURING INDUSTRIES.—COMPARISON OF PROGRESS IN FACTORIES IN THE SEVERAL STATES OF THE COMMONWEALTH, 1912-1913.

Particulars.	N.S.W.	Victoria.	Q'sland.	S. Aust.	W. Aust.	Tas.	C'wealth.
1912.							
1. Factories ... No.	5,162	5,263	1,790	1,341	711	611	14,878
2. Hands employed* ..	115,561	116,108	40,948	28,500	16,382	9,957	327,456
3. Wages paid† ... £	11,592,052	10,102,244	3,699,065	2,869,653	2,169,144	855,334	31,287,492
4. Value of fuel used ..	1,360,141	683,376	261,978	363,403	191,025	187,461	3,047,384
5. „ materials used ..	37,122,441	27,002,302	11,078,954	8,199,110	2,586,195	2,286,618	88,275,620
6. „ added in process of manufacture ..	24,040,887	18,408,471	7,719,950	5,239,108	3,506,073	1,585,298	60,499,787
7. „ output of factr's. ..	61,163,328	45,410,773	18,798,904	13,438,218	6,092,268	3,871,916	148,775,407
8. „ of land & bldgs. ..	14,765,810	10,362,661	3,524,991	3,150,834	1,910,372	1,094,488	34,809,156
9. „ plant & mchry. ..	13,795,195	9,095,134	5,442,471	2,725,540	2,241,536	1,161,019	34,460,895
1913.							
1. Factories ... No.	5,346	5,613	1,838	1,353	763	623	15,536
2. Hands employed* ..	120,400	118,744	42,363	28,511	17,299	9,784	337,101
3. Wages paid† ... £	12,683,384	10,714,336	4,075,191	3,034,537	2,215,187	883,452	33,606,087
4. Value of fuel used ..	1,371,425	739,835	328,519	417,280	198,161	185,681	3,240,901
5. „ materials used ..	40,537,476	28,465,699	14,183,539	8,354,258	2,782,839	2,083,666	96,407,477
6. „ added in process of manufacture ..	25,135,019	19,470,948	9,505,250	5,644,412	3,698,492	1,699,165	65,153,286
7. „ of output of factr's. ..	65,672,495	47,936,647	23,688,789	13,998,670	6,481,331	3,782,831	161,560,763
8. „ land & buildings. ..	15,792,105	10,753,309	3,923,584	3,261,242	2,036,769	1,105,711	36,872,720
9. „ plant & mchry. ..	14,861,676	10,022,429	5,877,387	2,982,323	2,264,455	1,248,688	37,256,958
INCREASE PER CENT.							
1. Factories ...	3.56	6.65	2.68	0.89	7.31	1.96	4.42
2. Hands employed ...	4.19	2.27	3.46	0.04	5.59	— 1.74	2.94
3. Wages paid ...	9.41	6.06	10.17	5.75	2.12	3.29	7.41
4. Value of fuel used ...	0.83	8.26	25.40	14.83	3.73	5.69	6.35
5. „ materials used ...	9.20	5.42	28.02	1.89	7.62	— 8.88	9.21
6. „ added in process of manufacture ...	4.55	5.77	23.13	7.74	5.48	7.18	7.69
7. „ of output of factr's. ...	7.39	5.56	26.01	4.17	6.38	— 2.30	8.59
8. „ land & buildings ...	6.95	3.77	11.31	3.50	6.62	1.03	5.93
9. „ plant & mchry. ...	7.73	10.20	7.99	9.42	1.02	7.55	8.11

* Including working proprietors, 13,779 in 1912, and 14,372 in 1913.

† Exclusive of amount drawn by working proprietors.

No. 17.—MANUFACTURING INDUSTRIES—VALUE ADDED BY PROCESSES OF MANUFACTURE—COMMONWEALTH, 1910-13.

	1910.	1911.	1912.	1913.
Treating raw materials, product of agricultural and pastoral, etc., pursuits ...	£ 1,863,173	£ 1,807,869	£ 1,874,590	£ 1,908,921
Treating oils and fats ...	564,356	634,831	667,790	662,418
Processes in stone, clay, glass, etc. ...	1,982,412	2,435,196	2,876,864	2,981,056
Working in wood ...	3,711,482	4,488,119	5,195,792	5,391,250
Metal works, machinery, etc. ...	10,642,583	11,866,940	14,012,456	15,023,023
Connected with food and drink, etc. ...	10,880,641	11,815,841	12,702,629	14,459,534
Clothing and textile fabrics, etc. ...	6,583,300	7,493,708	8,090,465	8,373,347
Books, paper, printing and engraving ...	3,868,693	4,244,632	4,700,768	5,017,494
Musical instruments, etc. ...	89,147	106,293	116,450	126,711
Arms and explosives ...	63,897	61,001	88,459	179,211
Vehicles & fittings, saddlery, harness, etc. ...	1,595,768	1,755,717	1,899,483	2,037,552
Ship and boat building and repairing ...	347,064	465,019	616,106	716,861
Furniture, bedding and upholstery ...	1,105,002	1,333,102	1,530,125	1,552,124
Drugs, chemicals and by-products ...	970,663	1,066,329	1,123,776	1,278,336
Surgical and other scientific instruments ...	34,415	42,019	42,284	44,842
Jewellery, timepieces and platedware ...	310,943	361,455	418,192	397,048
Heat, light and power... ..	2,982,670	3,409,116	3,885,681	4,320,924
Leatherware, n.e.i. ...	134,934	167,953	192,049	201,155
Minor wares, n.e.i. ...	369,754	462,574	465,828	481,479
	48,100,897	54,017,714	60,499,787	65,153,286

No. 18.—MANUFACTURING INDUSTRIES.—Proportion per cent. that Each of the Items of Outlay bore to the Value of Final Output.—States and Commonwealth, 1913.

Particulars.	N.S.W.	Victoria.	Q'land.	S. Aust.	W. Aust.	Tas.	C'wealth.
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Wages*	19.31	22.35	17.20	21.68	34.14	23.35	20.80
Fuel	2.09	1.54	1.39	2.98	3.08	4.91	2.01
Materials used	61.73	59.38	59.87	59.68	42.92	55.08	59.67
Margin for profits and miscellaneous expenses and charges	16.87	16.73	21.54	15.66	19.86	16.66	17.52
Total Output ..	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00

* Exclusive of amount drawn by working proprietors.

No. 19.—MANUFACTURING INDUSTRIES.—Average Amount of Salaries and Wages paid per Employee*, 1909 to 1913.

Year.	N.S.W.	Victoria.	Q'land.	S. Aust.	W. Aust.	Tas.	C'wealth.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1909	87.27	73.57	82.09	83.08	122.08	86.44	82.97
1910	90.83	78.18	86.79	90.44	123.93	78.81	87.06
1911	96.35	83.48	87.15	99.56	129.80	84.47	92.25
1912	104.44	91.19	93.88	105.62	136.67	90.40	99.74
1913	109.65	94.74	100.05	111.66	132.24	95.18	104.13

* Exclusive of working proprietors.

No. 20.—MANUFACTURING INDUSTRIES.—Average Number of Males and Females Employed, 1913.

—	N.S.W.	Victoria.	Q'land.	S. Aust.	W. Aust.	Tas.	C'wealth.
Males	93,036	80,054	34,715	23,323	14,625	8,354	254,107
Females	27,364	38,690	7,648	5,188	2,674	1,430	82,994
Masculinity*	54.5	34.8	63.9	63.6	69.1	70.8	50.7

* Excess of Males over Females per 100 of both sexes combined.

**No. 21.—STATEMENT SHOWING THE AMOUNT OF BOUNTIES PAID DURING
THE YEARS 1908-9 TO 1913-14 TOGETHER WITH THE QUANTITIES
AFFECTED FOR LAST YEAR.**

	BOUNTY PAID.					1913-14.	
	1908-9	1909-10	1910-11	1911-12	1912-13	Quantity on which Bounty was Paid.	Bounty Paid.
	£	£	£	£	£		£
BOUNTIES ACT—							
Combed Wool Tops ..	326	4,933	8,522	16,898	13,061	lb. 3,068,170	12,706
Flax and Hemp Fibre ..	126	120	123	480	215	ton 137	318
Sisal Hemp	34	25	112	18		"	
Coffee	222	117	112	68	125	lb., 17,540	73
Oil Materials—Cotton Seed	12	10	22	21	13	" 6,306	1
Linseed	6				9	ton	
Cotton Ginned	32	34	91	116	95	lb., 9,642	21
Tobacco Leaf	121	276	90	78	215	" 41,263	344
Fruits, Dried	28	104	1,078	1,734	587	" 142,928	433
Fish, Preserved	1,727	311	115	168	103	" 38,426	80
SUGAR BOUNTIES ACT—							
Sugar	477,090	402,132	630,762	543,503	370,306	ton 638,928*	148,242†
SHALE OIL BOUNTIES ACT—							
Kerosene			920	2,629	2,792	gal. 18,274	152
Refined Paraffin Wax ..			553	739	967	ton 71	177
MANUFACTURES ENCOURAGE- MENT ACT—							
Puddled Bar Iron ..	568	1,254	2,080	671	38	ton	
Pig Iron	2,314	23,510	20,462	15,611	16,949	" 66,868	40,121
Wire Netting		6,036	4,824	5,968	1,110	" 2,756	4,554
Galvanized Sheet or Plate	192	287	121	74		"	
Steel	575	1,491	1,940	723		" 11,893	7,136
TOTAL	483,373	440,640	671,927	589,499	406,585	..	214,359

* Weight of Cane. † Including bounty paid on Beet Sugar.

Section III.—Shipping and Commerce.

No. 22.—SHIPPING.—NET TONNAGE ENTERED AND CLEARED.

Year.	Tonnage Entered.			Tonnage Cleared.		
	With Cargo.	In Ballast.	Total.	With Cargo.	In Ballast.	Total.
1906	2,767,280	1,238,865	4,006,145	3,855,193	105,320	3,960,513
1907	2,828,786	1,643,280	4,472,066	4,154,783	196,017	4,350,800
1908	3,046,051	1,249,628	4,295,679	4,061,927	223,545	4,285,472
1909	3,219,498	1,141,696	4,361,194	3,953,578	201,979	4,155,557
1910	3,604,554	1,003,266	4,607,820	4,535,642	189,684	4,725,326
1911	3,914,784	1,078,436	4,993,220	4,869,013	122,568	4,991,581
1912	4,281,702	881,655	5,163,357	5,019,509	92,448	5,111,957
1913	4,369,455	1,002,076	5,371,531	5,125,766	104,651	5,230,417
1914	4,123,037	1,096,983	5,220,020	5,008,082	152,284	5,160,366
1913, December	389,770	164,961	554,731	473,091	12,266	485,357
1914 ,,	314,140	39,935	354,075	297,179	29,560	326,739

No. 23.—COMMERCE.—VALUE OF DIRECT OVERSEA IMPORTS.

States and Territories.	1901.	1910.	1911.	1912.	1913.	1914.
	£	£	£	£	£	£
New South Wales	17,560,207	23,238,466	27,342,452	32,303,124	32,350,663	31,714,919
Victoria ...	12,686,880	20,002,606	21,850,963	25,081,074	24,387,073	23,109,678
Queensland ...	3,515,667	5,427,855	6,212,240	7,456,917	6,714,942	7,004,024
South Australia ...	3,927,206	5,976,169	6,245,380	6,972,765	7,348,203	6,114,918
Western Australia	3,895,151	4,375,118	4,485,363	5,317,392	5,407,714	4,727,251
Tasmania ...	811,361	831,137	816,806	1,009,198	1,025,081	1,016,590
Northern Territory	37,539	*	14,284	18,130	20,977	24,784
Austral'n Warships	...	163,000	...	...	2,495,000	233,500
Commonwealth	42,434,011	60,014,351	66,967,488	78,158,600	79,749,653	73,945,664

No. 24.—VALUE OF DIRECT OVERSEA EXPORTS.†

New South Wales	18,210,627	32,035,451	32,161,401	32,958,529	32,887,789	29,100,128
Victoria ...	13,075,259	18,188,236	18,915,716	19,113,121	17,837,591	14,745,208
Queensland ...	4,333,846	8,171,593	8,389,284	9,209,454	12,352,748	11,625,670
South Australia ...	4,432,778	10,243,197	10,174,966	9,615,279	9,809,763	6,938,336
Western Australia	7,941,001	5,339,263	9,171,198	7,640,707	5,102,240	4,293,320
Tasmania ...	1,673,470	513,410	625,031	499,894	513,727	629,146
Northern Territory	29,191	*	44,662	59,106	67,911	28,780
Commonwealth	49,696,172	74,491,150	79,482,258	79,096,090	78,571,769	67,360,588

* Included in South Australia.

† Goods destined for oversea countries are largely transferred from one State to another for transhipment to the oversea country. For 1910 and the subsequent years such goods are, in this table, shewn against the State from which they were finally despatched from the Commonwealth. The exports from New South Wales and Victoria—the States in which transhipments are chiefly made—are thus inflated by the inclusion of goods consigned from other States. Owing to the discontinuance of the records of interstate trade from the 13th September, 1910, adjustment on account of transhipments can no longer be made. Taking the annual average of the transhipments recorded during the years 1907, 1908, and 1909, the New South Wales figures include exports of other States amounting to £3,036,672 net, per annum, and Victoria £1,003,714, which were originally despatched as follows:—From Queensland, £1,376,484; South Australia, £1,018,592; Western Australia, £8884; and Tasmania, £1,636,426. The great difference between the value of exports from Tasmania during the year 1901 and subsequent years is due to the fact that in the former year goods despatched from Tasmania for transhipment in other States were recorded as oversea exports from Tasmania, whereas in the later years they are included, for the most part, as exports from New South Wales and Victoria.

**No. 25.—TOTAL VALUE AND VALUE PER HEAD OF POPULATION OF THE
EXTERNAL TRADE OF THE COMMONWEALTH, 1901-14.**

Year	Value.					Value per Head.									
	Total Trade.	Imports.	Exports.			Total Trade.	Imports	Exports.							
			Aust. Produce.	Other Produce.	Total.			Aust. Produce.	Other Produce.	Total.					
£	£	£	£	£	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.				
1901	92,130,183	42,434,011*	47,741,776	1,954,396	49,696,172	24 6 1	11 3 11	12 11 10	0 10 4	13 2 2					
1902	84,591,037	40,675,950*	41,268,781	2,646,306	43,915,087	21 19 7	10 11 4	10 14 6	0 13 9	11 8 3					
1903	86,061,583	37,811,471*	45,658,883	2,591,229	48,250,112	22 2 1	9 14 3	11 14 7	0 13 3	12 7 10					
1904	94,506,757	37,020,842	55,100,167	2,385,748	57,485,915	23 19 4	9 7 9	13 19 6	0 12 1	14 11 7					
1905	95,187,766	38,346,731	54,127,758	2,713,277	56,841,035	23 15 10	9 11 9	13 10 7	0 13 6	14 4 1					
1906	114,482,675	44,744,912	66,299,874	3,437,889	69,737,763†	28 3 10	11 0 4	16 6 7	0 16 11	17 3 6					
1907	124,633,280	51,809,033	69,816,500	3,007,747	72,824,247†	30 4 5	12 11 3	16 18 7	0 14 7	17 13 2					
1908	114,110,331	49,799,273	62,118,903	2,192,155	64,311,058†	27 4 1	11 17 5	14 16 2	0 10 6	15 6 8					
1909	116,490,732	51,171,896	62,843,711	2,475,125	65,318,836†	27 5 0	11 19 5	14 14 0	0 11 7	15 5 7					
1910	134,505,501	60,014,351	71,836,195	2,654,955	74,491,150†	30 15 6	13 14 8	16 8 9	0 12 1	17 0 10					
1911	146,449,746	66,967,488	76,205,210	3,277,048	79,482,258†	32 12 4	14 18 3	16 19 6	0 14 7	17 14 1					
1912	157,254,690	78,158,600	75,951,563	3,134,527	79,096,090†	33 17 2	16 16 7	16 7 1	0 13 6	17 0 7					
1913	158,321,422	79,749,653	75,138,147	3,433,622	78,571,769†	32 19 2	16 12 0	15 12 10	0 14 4	16 7 2					
1914†	141,316,252	73,945,664	64,564,209	2,796,379	67,360,588†	28 14 3	15 0 6	13 2 5	0 11 4	13 13 9					

* Owing to the failure to record as Oversea Imports, goods received in one State of the Commonwealth for transshipment to another State thereof, it has been estimated that the value of Imports given in this table is understated by the following amounts:—1901, £2,121,500; 1902, £1,546,924; 1903, £1,024,211.

† Does not include the value of Stores shipped in Australian Ports on board overseas ships. The value of Ships' Stores was in 1906, £875,966; 1907, £998,897; 1908, £1,196,106; 1909, £1,071,677; 1910, £1,080,133; 1911, £1,238,446; in 1912, £1,431,985, and in 1913, £1,458,702.

‡ Preliminary figures; subject to revision.

Year.	Imports.			Exports.			Excess of Exports.		
	Mer- chandise.	Specie & Bullion.	Total.	Mer- chandise.	Specie & Bullion.	Total.	Mer- chandise.	Specie & Bullion.	Total.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1901	41,499,147	934,864	42,434,011	34,425,953	15,270,219	49,696,172	-7,073,194	14,335,355	7,262,161
1902	39,216,771	1,459,179	40,675,950	28,547,594	15,367,493	43,915,087	-10,669,177	13,908,314	3,239,137
1903	36,551,542	1,259,929	37,811,471	29,126,154	19,123,958	48,250,112	-7,425,388	17,864,029	10,438,641
1904	35,816,994	1,203,848	37,020,842	39,718,846	17,767,369	57,485,915	3,901,852	16,563,221	20,465,073
1905	36,796,436	1,550,295	38,346,731	45,045,521	11,795,514	56,841,035	8,249,085	10,245,219	18,494,304
1906	42,413,995	2,330,917	44,744,912	52,027,830	17,709,933	69,737,763	9,613,835	15,379,016	24,992,851
1907	49,974,833	1,834,200	51,809,033	61,636,787	11,187,460	72,824,247	11,661,954	9,353,260	21,015,214
1908	48,608,921	1,190,352	49,799,273	50,120,838	14,190,220	64,311,058	1,511,917	12,999,868	14,511,785
1909	50,115,521	1,056,375	51,171,896	56,638,552	8,680,284	65,318,836	6,523,031	7,623,909	14,146,940
1910	58,682,391	1,331,960	60,014,351	69,855,873	4,635,277	74,491,150	11,173,482	3,303,317	14,476,799
1911	64,997,907	1,969,581	66,967,488	67,435,172	12,047,086	79,482,258	2,437,265	10,077,505	12,514,770
1912	76,483,360	1,675,240	78,158,600	66,634,490	12,461,600	79,096,090	-9,848,870	10,786,360	937,490
1913	78,196,109	1,553,544	79,749,653	74,773,034	3,798,735	78,571,769	-3,423,075	2,245,191	-1,177,884
1914*	72,632,524	1,313,140	73,945,664	64,364,425	2,996,163	67,360,588	-8,268,099	1,683,023	-6,585,076

NOTE.—The altered balance of trade in the years 1912 and 1913 is due mainly to loans raised in London. From 1st July, 1911 to 30th December, 1913, £21,039,450 was added to the amount of Public Debt held abroad. The export trade of 1914 was materially affected by the suspension of the exports of wool and minerals in consequence of the war.

* Preliminary figures subject to revision.

Imports and Exports.

No. 26.—VALUE OF PRINCIPAL ARTICLES IMPORTED AND EXPORTED DURING THE MONTH OF JANUARY, 1915 AND 1914, TOGETHER WITH THE TOTAL VALUE OF THE SAME ARTICLES FOR THE SEVEN MONTHS OF THE YEARS 1914-15 AND 1913-14.

Compiled from information supplied by the Department of Trade and Customs.
(Subject to Revision.)

Articles.	Period.	Imports.	Exports.		
			Australian Produce.	Other Produce.	Total.
		£	£	£	£
Ale and Beer ...	Jan. 1915	49,123	472	601	1,073
	" 1914	55,266	74	628	702
	7 mts. 1914-5	270,063	5,614	4,407	10,021
	" 1913-4	327,826	320	4,015	4,335
Animals Living— Horses ...	Jan. 1915	12,600	91,686	...	91,686
	" 1914	11,389	6,272	...	6,272
	7 mts. 1914-5	43,840	290,434	3,055	293,489
	" 1913-4	60,281	107,163	2,550	109,713
Cattle ...	Jan. 1915	11,989	1,836	...	1,836
	" 1914	1,201	1,048	...	1,048
	7 mts. 1914-5	18,341	20,101	...	20,101
	" 1913-4	4,350	26,165	...	26,165
Sheep ...	Jan. 1915	1,224	865	...	865
	" 1914	1,681	1,316	...	1,316
	7 mts. 1914-5	13,935	32,344	195	32,539
	" 1913-4	19,562	56,165	175	56,340
Apparel & all Descriptions of Soft Goods	Jan. 1915	1,061,637	7,659	11,541	19,200
	" 1914	1,759,808	3,348	11,559	14,907
	7 mts. 1914-5	8,578,490	48,416	80,800	129,216
	" 1913-4	9,782,903	30,372	84,675	115,047
Biscuits ...	Jan. 1915	857	3,330	114	3,444
	" 1914	1,280	6,514	70	6,584
	7 mts. 1914-5	12,110	41,141	513	41,654
	" 1913-4	12,500	52,208	249	52,457
Bones, Hoofs, and Horns	Jan. 1915	345	3,560	...	3,560
	" 1914	336	4,153	...	4,153
	7 mts. 1914-5	1,428	25,597	...	25,597
	" 1913-4	1,719	41,777	...	41,777
Boots and Shoes ...	Jan. 1915	48,816	634	178	812
	" 1914	49,839	1,037	654	1,691
	7 mts. 1914-5	410,076	5,922	3,191	9,113
	" 1913-4	366,919	7,476	3,749	11,225
Butter ...	Jan. 1915	7	475,162	...	475,162
	" 1914	28	510,099	...	510,099
	7 mts. 1914-5	188	1,923,110	...	1,923,110
	" 1913-4	259	2,438,821	350	2,439,171
Cement (Portland) ...	Jan. 1915	16,652	227	132	359
	" 1914	20,394	...	677	677
	7 mts. 1914-5	92,951	569	1,835	2,404
	" 1913-4	101,948	79	1,907	1,986
Cheese ...	Jan. 1915	527	16,582	11	16,593
	" 1914	1,080	10,663	31	10,694
	7 mts. 1914-5	5,841	48,558	137	48,695
	" 1913-4	9,709	37,528	253	37,781

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Articles.	Period.	Imports.	Exports.		
			Australian Produce.	Other Produce.	Total.
		£	£	£	£
Coal	Jan. 1915	4,744	29,905	...	29,905
	" 1914	...	84,501	...	84,501
	7 mts. 1914-5	16,143	468,225	...	468,225
	" 1913-4	1,738	747,246	...	747,246
Cocoa and Chocolate ...	Jan. 1915	22,141	...	86	86
	" 1914	27,332	...	118	118
	7 mts. 1914-5	177,114	9	2,245	2,254
	" 1913-4	201,965	15	1,150	1,165
Coffee and Chicory — all forms	Jan. 1915	3,439	85	327	412
	" 1914	2,799	68	214	282
	7 mts. 1914-5	45,337	1,151	2,845	3,996
	" 1913-4	53,948	891	2,355	3,246
Concentrates, other than Gold	Jan. 1915	...	3,691	...	3,691
	" 1914	...	263,558	...	263,558
	7 mts. 1914-5	...	565,782	...	565,782
	" 1913-4	...	2,567,476	...	2,567,476
Copper Ingots and Copper contained in Matte	Jan. 1915	...	172,884	...	172,884
	" 1914	...	217,741	...	217,741
	7 mts. 1914-5	1,047	1,064,386	...	1,064,386
	" 1913-4	5	1,792,184	...	1,792,184
Cordage and Twines ...	Jan. 1915	72,721	829	788	1,617
	" 1914	64,847	822	1,121	1,943
	7 mts. 1914-5	423,695	4,289	6,710	10,999
	" 1913-4	428,428	5,349	9,669	15,018
Drugs and Chemicals ...	Jan. 1915	134,744	3,128	2,470	5,598
	" 1914	120,207	4,742	4,048	8,790
	7 mts. 1914-5	702,673	40,692	25,946	66,638
	" 1913-4	751,668	41,775	21,663	63,438
Earthenware, China, etc.	Jan. 1915	30,364	46	487	533
	" 1914	38,454	644	388	1,032
	7 mts. 1914-5	227,433	712	1,646	2,358
	" 1913-4	284,631	3,761	3,367	7,128
Fish (all kinds) ...	Jan. 1915	150,147	3,661	856	4,517
	" 1914	137,526	3,532	1,235	4,767
	7 mts. 1914-5	503,095	22,440	7,289	29,729
	" 1913-4	453,519	31,154	8,963	40,117
Fruits, Dried— Currants ...	Jan. 1915	142	227	1	228
	" 1914	59	349	...	349
	7 mts. 1914-5	388	12,555	2	12,557
	" 1913-4	436	2,204	10	2,214
Raisins ...	Jan. 1915	295	43	9	52
	" 1914	1	304	...	304
	7 mts. 1914-5	2,480	12,200	29	12,229
	" 1913-4	4,018	10,898	72	10,970
Other ...	Jan. 1915	5,070	26	167	193
	" 1914	2,805	1,558	193	1,751
	7 mts. 1914-5	24,459	1,627	985	2,612
	" 1913-4	77,253	2,071	631	2,702
Fruits, Fresh— Apples ...	Jan. 1915	10,990	136	186	322
	" 1914	1,181	547	80	627
	7 mts. 1914-5	66,172	9,118	500	9,618
	" 1913-4	68,223	20,661	478	21,139
All other ...	Jan. 1915	32,084	2,169	90	2,259
	" 1914	39,315	1,714	7	1,721
	7 mts. 1914-5	210,791	20,988	160	21,148
	" 1913-4	205,640	28,397	206	28,603
Furniture ...	Jan. 1915	14,438	316	195	511
	" 1914	18,835	909	112	1,021
	7 mts. 1914-5	109,243	3,496	1,079	4,575
	" 1913-4	164,586	5,966	1,242	7,208

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Articles.	Period.	Imports.	Exports.		
			Australian Produce.	Other Produce.	Total.
		£	£	£	£
Glass and Glassware ...	Jan. 1915	44,769	291	738	1,029
	" 1914	56,094	495	411	906
	7 mts. 1914-5	259,393	1,481	4,808	6,289
Gold, uncoined ...	" 1913-4	396,493	2,232	3,571	5,803
	Jan. 1915	3,251	40,448	...	40,448
	" 1914	24,920	121,903	...	121,903
Grain & Pulse, Unprepared—Barley ...	7 mts. 1914-5	223,534	290,687	11,812	302,499
	" 1913-4	606,245	963,577	...	963,577
	Jan. 1915	2,002	36	...	36
Maize ...	" 1914	8	4,249	...	4,249
	7 mts. 1914-5	5,395	15,287	...	15,287
	" 1913-4	17	4,480	...	4,480
Oats ...	Jan. 1915	1,021	49	...	49
	" 1914	19,481	43	11	54
	7 mts. 1914-5	23,066	843	782	1,625
Wheat ...	" 1913-4	61,295	1,589	607	2,196
	Jan. 1915	7,806	19	...	19
	" 1914	1,814	2,303	39	2,342
Other (including Beans and Peas)	7 mts. 1914-5	13,763	2,965	166	3,131
	" 1913-4	6,091	11,407	122	11,529
	Jan. 1915	...	28,346	...	28,346
Grain & Pulse, Prepared—Bran, Pollard, & Sharps	" 1914	...	2,014,579	...	2,014,579
	7 mts. 1914-5	5	858,246	...	858,246
	" 1913-4	1	4,221,159	...	4,221,159
Flour (Wheaten)	Jan. 1915	1,942	146	248	394
	" 1914	1,569	63	94	157
	7 mts. 1914-5	9,748	4,816	544	5,360
Oatmeal, etc....	" 1913-4	10,844	2,163	345	2,508
	Jan. 1915	2,861	7,007	280	7,287
	" 1914	...	3,298	...	3,298
Rice...	7 mts. 1914-5	10,450	34,893	549	35,442
	" 1913-4	2	45,345	69	45,414
	Jan. 1915	...	10,446	...	10,446
Other	" 1914	2	169,937	...	169,937
	7 mts. 1914-5	200	463,049	...	468,049
	" 1913-4	164	989,452	...	989,452
Hats and Caps ...	Jan. 1915	670	20	20	40
	" 1914	486	48	19	67
	7 mts. 1914-5	6,250	1,128	80	1,208
Hay and Chaff ...	" 1913-4	5,368	1,055	67	1,122
	Jan. 1915	8,114	...	10,714	10,714
	" 1914	11,286	...	9,754	9,754
Other	7 mts. 1914-5	79,815	...	72,859	72,859
	" 1913-4	55,126	...	54,018	54,018
	Jan. 1915	4,520	731	19	750
Hats and Caps ...	" 1914	4,504	2,784	53	2,837
	7 mts. 1914-5	24,167	8,049	114	8,163
	" 1913-4	25,934	8,346	263	8,609
Hay and Chaff ...	Jan. 1915	26,042	151	243	394
	" 1914	56,170	247	466	713
	7 mts. 1914-5	281,168	783	2,483	3,266
Hay and Chaff ...	" 1913-4	352,190	2,404	3,350	5,754
	Jan. 1915	1	5,939	...	5,939
	" 1914	16	1,800	...	1,800
Hay and Chaff ...	7 mts. 1914-5	189	20,591	...	20,591
	" 1913-4	115	13,942	...	13,942

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Articles.	Period.	Imports.	Exports.		
			Australian Produce.	Other Produce.	Total.
		£	£	£	£
Hops	Jan. 1915	5,964	6	99	105
	" 1914	9,196	18	13	31
	7 mts. 1914-5	36,983	108	140	248
	" 1913-4	34,771	73	172	245
Implements & Machinery— Agricultural, Horticultural, & Viticultural	Jan. 1915	72,848	419	664	1,083
	" 1914	63,062	1,556	372	1,928
	7 mts. 1914-5	492,383	10,002	4,735	14,737
	" 1913-4	503,136	73,204	6,104	79,308
Indiarubber goods ...	Jan. 1915	56,294	3,850	1,122	4,972
	" 1914	94,912	8,724	1,953	10,677
	7 mts. 1914-5	451,380	43,060	7,994	51,054
	" 1913-4	572,128	42,304	15,846	58,150
Iron and Steel— Bar, Rod, etc., Blooms, Slabs, etc., Girders, Joists, etc.	Jan. 1915	218,131	100	1,337	1,437
	" 1914	161,933	140	1,172	1,312
	7 mts. 1914-5	894,984	1,069	7,179	8,248
	" 1913-4	1,265,349	1,713	8,015	9,728
Galvanized—Plate and Sheet	Jan. 1915	161,165	12	1,022	1,034
	" 1914	171,506	33	3,101	3,134
	7 mts. 1914-5	1,039,494	158	7,178	7,336
	" 1913-4	1,161,813	144	14,666	14,810
Pig and Scrap	Jan. 1915	3,197	1,151	...	1,151
	" 1914	26,364	948	17	965
	7 mts. 1914-5	144,352	11,974	354	12,328
	" 1913-4	240,965	5,334	1,947	7,281
Jams and Jellies ...	Jan. 1915	905	1,494	1	1,495
	" 1914	822	5,073	10	5,083
	7 mts. 1914-5	8,480	47,096	46	47,142
	" 1913-4	7,602	16,988	104	17,092
Jute Goods, including Bags and Sacks (Bran, Flour, and Corn, Gunny, and Ore and Woolpack)	Jan. 1915	154,334	235	5,247	5,482
	" 1914	217,356	101	521	622
	7 mts. 1914-5	1,311,389	4,555	13,772	18,327
	" 1913-4	1,778,574	2,348	12,259	14,607
Lead—Pig, and Lead contained in Matte	Jan. 1915	421	85,995	...	85,995
	" 1914	...	236,890	...	236,890
	7 mts. 1914-5	569	947,080	...	947,080
	" 1913-4	350	1,315,697	...	1,315,697
Leather	Jan. 1915	40,214	120,002	2,115	122,117
	" 1914	33,268	60,466	1,283	61,749
	7 mts. 1914-5	209,168	649,885	13,424	663,309
	" 1913-4	240,984	400,691	11,587	412,278
Machines and Machinery (all kinds, except Agricultural, for which see "Implements")	Jan. 1915	381,921	1,438	4,569	6,007
	" 1914	416,166	3,885	9,078	12,963
	7 mts. 1914-5	2,723,318	39,649	48,360	88,009
	" 1913-4	2,699,064	69,609	53,130	122,739
Manures	Jan. 1915	46,057	13,199	331	13,530
	" 1914	86,840	17,689	...	17,689
	7 mts. 1914-5	336,100	110,538	2,348	112,886
	" 1913-4	330,091	113,385	4,977	118,362
Matches and Vestas ...	Jan. 1915	12,890	...	476	476
	" 1914	22,141	23	401	424
	7 mts. 1914-5	82,410	13	2,330	2,343
	" 1913-4	105,650	171	2,962	3,133

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Articles.	Period.	Imports.	Exports.		
			Australian Produce.	Other Produce.	Total.
Meats, Preserved by Cold Process—		£	£	£	£
Beef... ..	Jan. 1915	60	269,015	...	269,015
	" 1914	...	225,984	...	225,984
	7 mts. 1914-5	428	2,510,523	...	2,510,523
	" 1913-4	62	1,764,376	...	1,764,376
Mutton and Lamb	Jan. 1915	...	204,698	...	204,698
	" 1914	...	469,441	...	469,441
	7 mts. 1914-5	...	2,201,313	...	2,201,313
	" 1913-4	45	2,420,538	...	2,420,538
Poultry	Jan. 1915	6	239	...	239
	" 1914	3	271	...	271
	7 mts. 1914-5	21	12,440	...	12,440
	" 1913-4	51	7,853	...	7,853
Rabbits and Hares	Jan. 1915	...	27,250	...	27,250
	" 1914	...	31,789	...	31,789
	7 mts. 1914-5	...	348,265	...	348,265
	" 1913-4	...	383,603	...	383,603
Meats, Preserved in Tins...	Jan. 1915	2,606	140,941	48	140,989
	" 1914	4,462	92,264	70	92,334
	7 mts. 1914-5	13,607	1,124,366	410	1,124,776
	" 1913-4	14,126	784,452	499	784,951
Metals, Manufactures of—					
Dutiable	Jan. 1915	186,463	} Included in "Free."		
	" 1914	213,724			
	7 mts. 1914-5	1,452,375			
	" 1913-4	1,330,413			
Free... ..	Jan. 1915	201,396	2,398	5,841	8,239
	" 1914	242,291	4,834	6,134	10,968
	7 mts. 1914-5	1,108,025	26,051	43,526	69,577
	" 1913-4	1,436,600	35,946	46,618	82,564
Milk—					
Concentrated & Preserved	Jan. 1915	2,485	1,681	267	1,948
	" 1914	3,135	2,019	365	2,384
	7 mts. 1914-5	22,511	88,132	2,535	90,667
	" 1913-4	17,692	21,137	1,643	22,780
Oil—Kerosene	Jan. 1915	58,180	...	1,182	1,182
	" 1914	71,252	...	1,355	1,355
	7 mts. 1914-5	433,404	...	8,848	8,848
	" 1913-4	350,408	...	12,654	12,654
Onions	Jan. 1915	156	2,025	...	2,025
	" 1914	70	5,585	5	5,590
	7 mts. 1914-5	10,773	13,288	922	14,210
	" 1913-4	9,901	12,266	506	12,772
Ores (exclusive of Gold Ores the value of which is shown under "Gold Uncoined")	Jan. 1915	7,944	21,355	1,877	23,232
	" 1914	3,046	124,501	...	124,501
	7 mts. 1914-5	59,057	267,041	1,892	268,933
	" 1913-4	32,352	785,388	1,989	787,377
Paints, Colours & Varnishes	Jan. 1915	65,365	257	606	863
	" 1914	62,437	331	636	967
	7 mts. 1914-5	384,817	1,519	3,238	4,757
	" 1913-4	377,482	3,617	4,236	7,853
Paper—					
Printing	Jan. 1915	101,355	...	97	97
	" 1914	68,799	...	124	124
	7 mts. 1914-5	562,918	...	921	921
	" 1913-4	565,476	...	2,119	2,119

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Articles.	Period.	Imports.	Exports.		
			Australian Produce.	Other Produce.	Total.
		£	£	£	£
Paper—All other	Jan. 1915	64,256	41	522	563
	" 1914	70,899	147	365	512
	7 mts. 1914-5	374,710	739	4,146	4,885
	" 1913-4	490,769	625	2,897	3,522
Pearlshell	Jan. 1915	...	5,773	36	5,809
	" 1914	...	19,309	149	19,458
	7 mts. 1914-5	...	138,543	43	138,586
	" 1913-4	...	276,118	176	276,294
Pickles and Sauces	Jan. 1915	10,589	67	83	150
	" 1914	12,788	117	99	216
	7 mts. 1914-5	77,173	773	468	1,241
	" 1913-4	88,426	1,094	520	1,614
Potatoes	Jan. 1915	136	1,128	...	1,128
	" 1914	89	814	...	814
	7 mts. 1914-5	3,684	6,481	...	6,481
	" 1913-4	4,356	5,313	163	5,476
Railway Material—Rails, Fish-plates, etc.	Jan. 1915	121,471	...	935	935
	" 1914	124,249	3	62	65
	7 mts. 1914-5	799,497	104	2,093	2,197
	" 1913-4	690,782	569	1,026	1,595
Silver—Bullion and Silver contained in Matte	Jan. 1915	2	30,462	...	30,462
	" 1914	62	71,279	...	71,279
	7 mts. 1914-5	2,153	347,385	4,032	351,417
	" 1913-4	3,733	556,374	9,220	565,594
Skins— Hides	Jan. 1915	8,704	120,580	...	120,580
	" 1914	27,749	139,609	249	139,858
	7 mts. 1914-5	83,045	1,008,415	...	1,008,415
	" 1913-4	148,187	1,190,068	2,071	1,192,139
Rabbit and Hare	Jan. 1915	327	8,736	...	8,736
	" 1914	156	11,011	...	11,011
	7 mts. 1914-5	919	205,154	...	205,154
	" 1913-4	1,004	430,087	193	430,280
Sheep	Jan. 1915	853	122,181	...	122,181
	" 1914	119	182,205	...	182,205
	7 mts. 1914-5	8,669	1,105,242	...	1,105,242
	" 1913-4	2,491	1,774,189	...	1,774,189
Other	Jan. 1915	966	3,953	...	3,953
	" 1914	2,296	11,427	...	11,427
	7 mts. 1914-5	17,133	94,829	58	94,887
	" 1913-4	16,018	560,514	1,252	561,766
Soap	Jan. 1915	13,552	9,013	260	9,273
	" 1914	10,321	9,475	324	9,799
	7 mts. 1914-5	80,721	51,065	908	51,973
	" 1913-4	79,721	54,790	2,846	57,636
Specie— Gold	Jan. 1915	...	42,343	3,251	45,594
	" 1914	...	211,614	24,920	236,534
	7 mts. 1914-5	1,864	190,815	309,118	499,933
	" 1913-4	22,341	881,125	608,760	1,489,885
Silver	Jan. 1915	216,000	...	3,080	3,080
	" 1914	...	...	580	580
	7 mts. 1914-5	418,142	...	31,397	31,397
	" 1913-4	61,010	...	72,562	72,562
Bronze	Jan. 1915	1	1
	" 1914
	7 mts. 1914-5	7,012	...	710	710
	" 1913-4	150

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Articles.			Period.	Imports.	Exports.		
					Australian Produce.	Other Produce.	Total.
				£	£	£	£
Spirits—			Jan. 1915	22,478	151	187	338
Brandy	...	...	" 1914	12,755	313	131	444
			7 mts. 1914-5	115,934	646	1,049	1,695
			" 1913-4	112,881	673	935	1,608
Gin (including Schnapps)			Jan. 1915	8,608	...	205	205
			" 1914	18,352	...	146	146
			7 mts. 1914-5	59,271	...	756	756
			" 1913-4	109,038	...	782	782
Rum	...	...	Jan. 1915	3,528	146	8	154
			" 1914	1,496	19	2	21
			7 mts. 1914-5	25,618	461	85	546
			" 1913-4	32,334	89	178	267
Whisky	...	...	Jan. 1915	59,123	...	3,015	3,015
			" 1914	65,788	...	1,978	1,978
			7 mts. 1914-5	503,554	248	20,413	20,661
			" 1913-4	473,453	...	11,052	11,052
Other	...	...	Jan. 1915	13,214	887	496	1,383
			" 1914	13,143	2,063	654	2,717
			7 mts. 1914-5	106,294	7,602	4,793	12,395
			" 1913-4	128,393	8,696	4,307	13,003
Sugar (Cane)	...	...	Jan. 1915	6,665	12	5,844	5,856
			" 1914	32,871	33	5,480	5,513
			7 mts. 1914-5	146,963	2,177	202,899	205,076
			" 1913-4	461,622	107	39,898	40,005
Tallow (export only)	...	...	Jan. 1915	...	134,304	392	134,696
			" 1914	...	239,868	...	239,868
			7 mts. 1914-5	...	1,066,588	2,446	1,069,034
			" 1913-4	...	1,576,673	1,666	1,578,339
Tea	...	...	Jan. 1915	105,416	...	7,017	7,017
			" 1914	125,309	...	6,059	6,059
			7 mts. 1914-5	941,265	...	52,874	52,874
			" 1913-4	907,065	...	33,731	33,731
Timber	...	...	Jan. 1915	228,268	36,269	910	37,179
			" 1914	327,449	45,149	2,252	47,401
			7 mts. 1914-5	1,646,095	520,165	7,501	527,666
			" 1913-4	1,957,820	635,362	13,314	648,676
Tin Ingots	...	...	Jan. 1915	...	35,690	...	35,690
			" 1914	...	57,717	...	57,717
			7 mts. 1914-5	2,309	88,236	...	88,236
			" 1913-4	...	384,262	6	384,268
Tinned Plates	...	...	Jan. 1915	49,726	...	...	...
			" 1914	51,638	...	505	505
			7 mts. 1914-5	275,831	...	1,124	1,124
			" 1913-4	322,428	...	1,521	1,521
Tobacco—							
Manufactured	...	...	Jan. 1915	31,331	5,913	4,215	10,128
			" 1914	18,523	2,556	6,013	8,569
			7 mts. 1914-5	147,723	33,597	32,001	65,598
			" 1913-4	103,317	38,357	28,390	66,747
Unmanufactured	...	...	Jan. 1915	66,284	4	196	200
			" 1914	20,339	...	125	125
			7 mts. 1914-5	379,324	7	1,091	1,098
			" 1913-4	351,410	200	1,646	1,846
Cigars	...	...	Jan. 1915	9,892	...	302	302
			" 1914	13,202	...	671	671
			7 mts. 1914-5	77,452	...	1,396	1,396
			" 1913-4	123,436	103	2,016	2,119

VALUE OF PRINCIPAL ARTICLES, ETC. (Continued).

Articles.	Period.	Imports.	Exports.		
			Australian Produce.	Other Produce.	Total.
Tobacco—		£	£	£	£
Cigarettes ...	Jan. 1915	3,847	302	204	506
	" 1914	4,064	310	223	533
	7 mts. 1914-5	31,705	2,333	942	3,275
	" 1913-4	40,690	2,547	1,106	3,653
Tools of Trade ...	Jan. 1915	55,181	22	614	636
	" 1914	59,663	75	927	1,002
	7 mts. 1914-5	328,702	334	6,634	6,968
	" 1913-4	365,059	615	8,053	8,668
Wine, Fermented—					
Sparkling ...	Jan. 1915	1,426	153	158	311
	" 1914	15,248	19	476	495
	7 mts. 1914-5	28,370	595	2,036	2,631
	" 1913-4	80,007	428	1,954	2,382
Other ...	Jan. 1915	3,807	3,122	118	3,240
	" 1914	3,822	13,142	457	13,599
	7 mts. 1914-5	20,071	42,918	3,120	46,038
	" 1913-4	20,234	63,665	2,384	66,049
Wool—					
Greasy ...	Jan. 1915	156	1,414,882	...	1,414,882
	" 1914	806	2,247,808	...	2,247,808
	7 mts. 1914-5	1,444	8,802,245	...	8,802,245
	" 1913-4	7,203	18,114,597	100	18,114,697
Scoured and Washed ...	Jan. 1915	...	344,947	...	344,947
	" 1914	126	353,810	...	353,810
	7 mts. 1914-5	462	2,521,365	...	2,521,365
	" 1913-4	1,085	3,405,505	...	3,405,505
All other Articles ...	Jan. 1915	1,254,472	236,196	79,467	315,663
	" 1914	1,502,149	127,066	56,457	183,523
	7 mts. 1914-5	8,658,264	1,356,330	305,992	1,662,322
	" 1913-4	14,442,510*	962,406	645,540	1,607,946
GRAND TOTALS ...	Jan. 1915	5,928,730	4,367,825	168,918	4,536,743
	" 1914	7,040,269	8,486,785	167,896	8,654,681
	7 mts. 1914-5	40,044,795	32,430,811	1,408,043	33,838,854
	" 1913-4	49,628,577*	53,511,261	1,912,439	55,423,700

* Includes warships valued at £2,495,000.

No. 27.—PRINCIPAL AGRICULTURAL, PASTORAL, AND DAIRY PRODUCE OF AUSTRALIAN ORIGIN EXPORTED FROM THE COMMONWEALTH, 1901-1914.

	Butter.	Flour.	Wheat.	Wool.		Mutton and Lamb.	Hides and Skins of all Kinds.
				Greasy.	Scoured.		

QUANTITY.

	lbs.	Tons.*	Bushels.†	lbs.	lbs.	lbs.	
1901	34,536,277	96,814	20,260,058	385,191,184	66,368,855	54,175,093	...
1902	7,777,971	33,021	8,999,282	286,579,459	49,374,477	44,105,600	...
1903	30,901,910	6,097	1,172,838	263,419,710	61,143,320	35,753,124	...
1904	64,788,542	103,144	33,071,653	339,219,779	55,911,046	47,863,532	...
1905	55,904,151	154,219	24,648,182	380,420,424	56,775,423	86,858,344	...
1906	75,765,536	166,875	30,262,335	415,353,590	64,889,295	90,692,385	...
1907	66,076,915	163,437	28,784,130	512,756,895	72,318,065	109,227,757	...
1908	51,193,311	116,803	15,027,388	471,832,275	70,915,494	91,607,614	...
1909	55,644,925	129,969	31,549,498	529,020,213	76,082,419	116,915,639	...
1910	87,894,943	139,946	44,761,895	587,090,469	78,178,300	190,229,330	...
1911	101,722,136	175,891	55,147,840	578,823,623	71,770,640	129,569,295	...
1912	66,679,120	168,094	32,604,247	557,798,811	62,885,655	115,371,981	...
1913	75,802,303	221,658	42,922,887	531,573,903	64,450,086	204,931,783	...
1914	56,162,547	174,217	52,878,122	357,637,875	56,647,669	175,403,211	...

* 2000 lbs. † 60 lbs.

VALUE.

	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1901	1,447,882	589,604	2,774,643	11,673,176	3,561,528	726,186	1,251,675
1902	379,244	266,675	1,402,883	9,595,482	3,147,531	543,422	1,948,139
1903	1,213,177	61,199	181,355	9,600,599	4,396,634	489,934	1,703,037
1904	2,460,664	792,722	5,240,590	13,139,941	3,975,393	657,361	1,335,066
1905	2,331,595	1,160,813	4,174,128	15,574,516	4,247,700	1,111,969	2,144,682
1906	3,238,304	1,216,806	4,913,798	17,547,037	5,098,732	1,095,120	2,752,607
1907	2,890,261	1,296,252	4,801,722	22,928,011	5,963,819	1,377,502	2,782,805
1908	2,386,548	1,034,391	3,089,591	18,027,930	4,885,730	1,219,107	2,195,053
1909	2,399,693	1,229,481	6,628,683	20,603,450	4,879,660	1,231,035	3,160,008
1910	3,951,131	1,244,165	9,933,561	23,439,098	5,338,089	2,161,513	3,949,614
1911	4,637,362	1,391,529	9,641,608	21,394,798	4,676,395	1,633,622	3,227,236
1912	3,342,320	1,456,668	6,403,237	22,071,477	4,253,901	1,592,378	4,289,041
1913	3,565,282	1,863,667	7,987,477	21,479,782	4,797,280	2,896,532	5,539,827
1914	2,655,372	1,495,557	9,996,514	14,265,448	4,109,855	2,972,730	4,146,003

No. 28.—PRINCIPAL AGRICULTURAL, PASTORAL, AND DAIRY PRODUCE
of Australian Origin exported from each State to Various Countries during
the Seven Months of the years 1914-15 and 1913-14.

NOTE.—In this table exports are referred to the State from which they were finally despatched from the Commonwealth.

BUTTER (AUSTRALIAN PRODUCE) EXPORTED—QUANTITY.

Country to which Exported.	New South Wales.	Victoria	Queens-land.	South Aust.	Western Aust.	Tas-mania.	Commonwealth. 7 months.	
							1914-15.	1913-14.
	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.
United Kingdom ...	16,176,008	11,440,270	8,118,152	...	...	...	35,734,430	45,858,045
Canada ...	198,240	...	...	...	...	...	198,240	157,360
Ceylon ...	48,518	34,469	36,640	...	...	...	119,627	136,191
China ...	107,500	170,590	9,666	...	...	...	287,756	408,373
Dutch East Indies—								
Java ...	110,634	861,159	21,277	...	...	...	993,070	969,999
Other Islands ...	424	45,847	2,464	...	...	...	48,735	93,180
Egypt ...	325,920	...	...	...	...	...	325,920	59,086
Hong Kong ...	183,135	30,048	15,760	...	...	...	228,943	287,836
Islands of the Pacific—								
Fiji ...	33,475	24,963	...	...	...	...	58,438	75,413
Hawaiian Islands	37,608	...	...	...	...	...	37,608	17,080
New Caledonia ...	38,452	3,551	...	...	...	...	42,003	43,531
Other Islands ...	48,929	3,550	2,800	...	...	...	55,279	62,973
Japan ...	18,772	4,016	4,490	...	...	...	27,278	60,182
Papua ...	6,104	...	17,145	...	...	...	23,249	26,723
Philippine Islands	126,030	23,949	74,845	...	...	...	224,824	451,429
South African Union	139,588	514,121	531,492	...	...	...	1,185,201	680,247
Straits Settlements	68,612	79,032	125,016	...	...	...	272,660	350,536
United States ...	327,248	...	560	...	...	...	327,808	407,176
Other Countries...	7,078	39,186	871	...	...	...	47,135	128,460
Total, 7 months, 1914-15	18,002,275	13,274,751	8,961,178	...	...	...	40,238,204*	...
" " 1913-14	13,063,008	28,026,692	8,722,704	455,872	5,544	...	...	50,273,820

BUTTER (AUSTRALIAN PRODUCE) EXPORTED—VALUE.

Country to which Exported.	New South Wales.	Victoria	Queens-land.	South Aust.	Western Aust.	Tas-mania.	Commonwealth. 7 months.	
							1914-15.	1913-14.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
United Kingdom ...	787,530	516,035	383,119	...	...	...	1,686,684	2,215,900
Canada ...	9,458	...	...	...	...	...	9,458	7,698
Ceylon ...	2,487	1,889	1,560	...	...	...	5,936	7,114
China ...	5,779	10,197	534	...	...	...	16,510	21,129
Dutch East Indies—								
Java ...	5,991	47,539	1,165	...	...	...	54,695	50,740
Other Islands ...	25	2,647	140	...	...	...	2,812	4,846
Egypt ...	16,712	...	...	...	...	...	16,712	2,871
Hong Kong ...	9,449	1,753	843	...	...	...	12,045	14,152
Islands of the Pacific—								
Fiji ...	1,699	1,455	...	...	...	...	3,154	4,035
Hawaiian Islands	2,050	...	...	...	...	...	2,050	794
New Caledonia ...	2,001	186	...	...	...	...	2,187	2,216
Other Islands...	2,802	216	172	...	...	...	3,190	3,260
Japan ...	1,013	307	239	...	...	...	1,559	3,074
Papua ...	336	...	978	...	...	...	1,314	1,490
Philippine Islands	6,599	1,563	3,969	...	...	...	12,131	22,042
South African Union	6,980	26,731	25,930	...	...	...	59,641	33,826
Straits Settlements	3,675	4,420	6,730	...	...	...	14,825	17,799
United States ...	15,412	...	28	...	...	...	15,440	18,961
Other Countries	416	2,294	55	...	...	...	2,765	6,874
Total, 7 months, 1914-15	880,414	617,232	425,462	...	...	...	1,923,108*	...
" " 1913-14	611,155	1,391,642	412,782	22,965	277	...	...	2,438,821

* In addition, 30 lbs., value £2, from Northern Territory.

FLOUR (AUSTRALIAN PRODUCE) EXPORTED—QUANTITY.

Country to which Exported.	New South Wales.	Victoria	Queens- land.	South Aust.	Western Aust.	Tas- mania	Commonwealth 7 months.	
							1914-15.	1913-14.
	Cental.	Cental.	Cental.	Cental.	Cental.	Cental.	Cental.	Cental.
United Kingdom ...	11,776	50	560	4	4,240	...	16,630	169,549
Africa—Portuguese East	533	50,687	...	11,999	...	...	63,219	151,943
Ceylon ...	30	32,447	...	9,277	666	...	42,420	83,179
China ...	10,890	7	...	...	...	...	10,897	25,420
Cochin China ...	4,305	...	...	...	...	...	4,305	11,979
Dutch East Indies—								
Celebes ...	885	2,695	4	...	...	...	3,584	21,684
Java ...	68,507	31,496	...	14,570	4,316	...	118,889	366,419
Sumatra ...	4,477	5,488	...	2,691	...	...	12,656	54,151
Other Islands ...	4,563	3,702	35	...	...	...	8,300	25,747
Egypt ...	3,218	41,563	...	265	26,805	...	71,851	455,844
Hong Kong ...	1,808	990	...	...	...	...	2,798	5,644
India ...	38	3,127	...	...	...	...	3,165	9,907
Islands of the Pacific—								
Fiji ...	22,013	3,626	...	...	...	...	25,639	33,320
New Caledonia ...	50,991	1,703	...	...	...	...	52,694	48,042
New Hebrides ...	1,465	...	...	...	...	...	1,465	4,378
Other Islands ...	14,156	1	...	...	...	...	14,157	31,963
New Zealand ...	60,417	40,613	...	...	...	...	101,030	44,462
Papua ...	3,447	...	266	...	...	...	3,713	4,440
Philippine Islands	50,517	15,735	...	...	...	...	66,252	208,547
South African Union	1,274	130,409	...	141,808	8,000	...	281,491	385,773
Straits Settlements	39,610	17,871	...	276	9,267	...	67,024	179,510
Other Countries	6,927	37,462	2	1,000	...	...	45,391	35,333
Total 7 months, 1914-15	361,847	419,672	867	181,890	53,294	...	1,017,570	...
" " 1913-14	720,323	880,062	622	485,143	271,086	...	...	2,357,236

FLOUR (AUSTRALIAN PRODUCE) EXPORTED—VALUE.

Country to which Exported.	New South Wales.	Victoria	Queens- land.	South Aust.	Western Aust.	Tas- mania.	Commonwealth. 7 months.	
							1914-15.	1913-14.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
United Kingdom ...	5,579	20	284	2	1,896	...	7,781	70,850
Africa—Portuguese East	243	20,087	...	4,795	...	...	25,125	58,903
Ceylon ...	13	14,900	...	4,102	266	...	19,281	35,017
China ...	5,240	4	...	...	...	...	5,244	11,647
Cochin China ...	2,024	...	...	...	...	...	2,024	5,200
Dutch East Indies—								
Celebes ...	437	1,217	2	...	...	...	1,656	9,306
Java ...	32,547	14,214	...	6,182	1,787	...	54,730	156,084
Sumatra ...	2,035	2,360	...	1,135	...	...	5,530	23,008
Other Islands ...	2,170	1,917	15	...	...	...	4,102	12,093
Egypt ...	1,481	18,573	...	101	11,428	...	31,583	194,508
Hong Kong ...	878	405	...	...	...	...	1,283	2,320
India ...	19	1,496	...	...	...	...	1,515	4,786
Islands of the Pacific—								
Fiji ...	10,678	1,507	...	...	...	...	12,185	13,460
New Caledonia ...	23,706	743	...	...	...	...	24,449	19,613
New Hebrides...	673	...	...	...	...	...	673	1,814
Other Islands ...	6,918	1	...	...	...	...	6,919	13,200
New Zealand ...	26,441	18,301	...	...	...	...	44,742	17,723
Papua ...	1,770	...	182	...	...	...	1,952	2,063
Philippine Islands	24,356	9,172	...	...	...	...	33,528	92,587
South African Union	515	60,754	...	65,496	3,800	...	130,565	152,658
Straits Settlements	20,420	7,963	...	117	4,471	...	32,971	77,818
Other Countries	3,326	16,471	1	413	...	...	20,211	14,854
Total 7 months, 1914-15	171,469	190,105	484	82,343	23,648	...	468,049	...
" " 1913-14	315,714	365,690	320	194,236	113,492	...	...	989,452

WHEAT (AUSTRALIAN PRODUCE) EXPORTED—QUANTITY.

Country to which Exported.	New South Wales.	Victoria	Queens-land.	South Aust.	Western Aust.	Tasmania.	Commonwealth. 7 months.	
	Cental.	Cental.	Cental.	Cental.	Cental.	Cental.	1914-15.	1913-14.
United Kingdom ...	703,437	105,563	...	114,283	...	...	923,283	8,167,612
Belgium ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	162,174
Canary Islands* ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	962,706
Chile ...	293,248	97,058	...	...	...	...	390,306	...
Egypt ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	259,008
France ...	...	9,482	...	...	...	...	9,482	491,526
Germany ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	139,945
Italy ...	45,114	22,200	...	26,886	...	...	94,200	418,693
Japan ...	134,398	...	...	...	...	...	134,398	468,955
New Zealand ...	90,618	...	...	...	...	...	90,618	28,057
Peru ...	174,486	...	...	...	...	...	174,486	517,326
Portugal ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	301,615
South African Union ...	160,035	228,092	...	263,211	...	...	651,338	1,622,124
Spain ...	...	...	...	43,782	...	...	43,782	91,695
Sweden ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11,224
Other Countries ...	4,567	7,679	53	7,447	...	...	19,746	90,173
Total 7 months, 1914-15	1,605,903	470,074	53	455,609	...	...	2,531,639	...
" " 1913-14	5,246,078	4,094,928	29	3,206,213	1,185,585	...	...	13,732,833

* For orders.

WHEAT (AUSTRALIAN PRODUCE) EXPORTED—VALUE.

Country to which Exported.	New South Wales.	Victoria	Queens-land.	South Aust.	Western Aust.	Tasmania.	Commonwealth. 7 months.	
	£	£	£	£	£	£	1914-15.	1913-14.
United Kingdom ...	227,186	35,748	...	40,919	...	...	303,853	2,540,999
Belgium ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	48,234
Canary Islands* ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	281,468
Chile ...	95,879	31,499	...	...	...	...	127,378	...
Egypt ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	76,098
France ...	...	1,699	...	...	...	...	1,699	152,587
Germany ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	42,490
Italy ...	14,530	7,169	...	8,775	...	...	30,474	123,484
Japan ...	42,933	...	...	...	...	...	42,933	145,749
New Zealand ...	40,017	...	...	...	...	...	40,017	8,514
Peru ...	57,076	...	...	...	...	...	57,076	154,903
Portugal ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	89,394
South African Union ...	56,457	81,385	...	95,825	...	...	233,667	499,320
Spain ...	...	...	...	14,290	...	...	14,290	27,700
Sweden ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3,512
Other Countries ...	1,566	2,578	26	2,689	...	...	6,859	26,707
Total 7 months, 1914-15	535,644	160,078	26	162,498	...	...	858,246	...
" " 1913-14	1,673,232	1,209,835	18	980,277	357,797	...	...	4,221,159

* For orders.

WOOL, GREASY (AUSTRALIAN PRODUCE) EXPORTED—QUANTITY.

Country to which Exported.	New South Wales.	Victoria.	Queens-land.	South Aust.	Western Aust.	Tasmania.	Commonwealth. 7 months.	
	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.	1914-15.	1913-14.
United Kingdom ...	78,604,788	46,283,992	36,227,526	21,133,130	18,313,952	2,371,364	202,934,752	139,490,423
Austria-Hungary ...	5,115	...	824,631	...	...	...	829,746	11,494,750
Belgium ...	541,236	147,327	2,189,247	2,385	36,947	...	2,917,142	45,542,655
Canada ...	639,995	...	...	...	...	...	639,995	...
Egypt ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	151,379
France ...	1,349,316	288,868	3,655,688	72,041	...	...	5,365,913	139,092,530
Germany ...	631,421	356,097	2,176,586	14,846	...	...	3,178,950	86,346,203
India ...	...	89,365	...	...	...	...	89,365	182,741
Italy ...	76,556	...	1,762	...	...	...	78,318	5,764,138
Japan ...	5,015,594	509,257	947,278	...	...	...	6,472,129	5,774,732
New Zealand ...	259,289	15,456	...	...	...	...	274,745	174,636
Norway ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4,028
Switzerland ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	186,082
United States ...	769,144	569,620	1,470,726	...	...	...	6,809,490	17,566,229
Total 7 months 1914-15	91,892,454	48,259,982	47,493,444	21,222,402	18,350,899	2,371,364	229,590,545	...
" " 1913-14	201,212,207	113,962,137	68,096,342	43,927,113	19,966,685	4,606,042	...	451,770,526

* In addition, 257,264 lbs. from N. Territory.

WOOL, GREASY (AUSTRALIAN PRODUCE) EXPORTED—VALUE.

Country to which Exported.	New South Wales.	Victoria	Queens-land.	South Aust.	Western Aust.	Tasmania.	Commonwealth, 7 months.	
							1914-15.	1913-14.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
United Kingdom ...	2,904,706	1,990,918	1,377,540	725,668	626,895	106,688	7,732,415	5,598,501
Austria-Hungary ...	260	...	41,688	...	...	...	41,948	499,362
Belgium ...	17,058	1,374	85,882	65	1,105	...	105,484	1,751,042
Canada ...	24,214	...	...	...	...	...	24,214	...
Egypt ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6,037
France ...	46,854	9,283	139,831	1,966	...	...	197,934	5,315,514
Germany ...	25,024	3,977	100,628	418	...	...	130,047	3,528,895
India ...	...	3,832	...	...	...	...	3,832	5,811
Italy ...	3,729	...	70	...	...	...	3,799	244,959
Japan ...	189,874	24,063	33,666	...	...	...	247,603	260,779
New Zealand ...	8,288	893	...	...	...	...	9,181	7,115
Norway ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	205
Switzerland ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9,320
United States ...	202,135	29,276	74,377	...	...	...	305,788	868,647
Total 7 months, 1914-15	3,422,142	2,063,616	1,853,682	728,117	628,000	106,688	8,802,245	*
„ „ 1913-14	8,039,225	4,778,337	2,738,071	1,572,330	758,154	210,070	...	18,096,187

* In addition, £18,410 from Northern Territory.

WOOL, SCOURED (AUSTRALIAN PRODUCE) EXPORTED—QUANTITY.

Country to which Exported.	New South Wales.	Victoria	Queens-land.	South Aust.	Western Aust.	Tasmania.	Commonwealth, 7 months.	
							1914-15.	1913-14.
	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.
United Kingdom ...	13,499,642	3,938,120	8,655,691	1,328,076	37,380	5,814	27,464,723	17,397,641
Austria-Hungary ...	...	...	147,864	...	...	...	147,864	81,503
Belgium ...	207,517	9,841	703,148	...	...	...	920,506	3,792,933
Canada ...	18,171	...	...	...	...	...	18,171	415
France ...	650,044	124,845	957,523	...	...	...	1,732,412	12,882,585
Germany ...	583,985	19,529	1,144,494	...	...	...	1,748,008	8,598,194
India ...	†12,307	34,302	...	...	...	...	46,609	48,028
Italy ...	22,783	12,166	...	...	...	...	34,949	62,073
Japan ...	‡2,620,934	...	23,888	...	...	...	2,644,822	2,368,076
New Zealand ...	†939	...	...	...	...	...	939	9,476
Norway ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,593
United States ...	438,383	20,218	21,733	...	...	...	480,334	141,187
Total 7 months, 1914-15	18,054,705	4,159,021	11,654,341	1,328,076	37,380	5,814	35,239,337	...
„ „ 1913-14	24,012,182	4,201,421	15,823,143	1,190,139	157,819	...	...	45,384,704

WOOL, SCOURED (AUSTRALIAN PRODUCE) EXPORTED—VALUE.

Country to which Exported.	New South Wales.	Victoria	Queens-land.	South Aust.	Western Aust.	Tasmania.	Commonwealth, 7 months.	
							1914-15.	1913-14.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
United Kingdom ...	*827,058	235,721	633,536	82,920	1,653	160	1,781,048	1,213,116
Austria-Hungary ...	...	...	8,488	...	...	...	8,488	6,050
Belgium ...	15,454	550	56,925	...	...	...	72,929	271,304
Canada ...	880	...	...	...	...	...	880	43
France ...	44,081	9,109	87,819	...	...	...	141,009	930,279
Germany ...	49,717	1,560	108,721	...	...	...	159,998	691,167
India ...	†1,274	3,245	...	...	...	...	4,519	5,242
Italy ...	2,478	1,120	...	...	...	...	3,598	4,810
Japan ...	‡12,444	...	1,470	...	...	...	313,914	272,420
New Zealand ...	†118	...	...	...	...	...	118	597
Norway ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	153
United States ...	30,997	1,627	2,240	...	...	...	34,864	10,624
Total 7 months, 1914-15	1,284,501	252,932	899,199	82,920	1,653	160	2,521,365	...
„ „ 1913-14	1,796,730	296,655	1,221,528	83,515	7,077	...	...	3,405,505

* Includes 12,838 lbs. value £1394. Tops. † Tops. ‡ Includes 2,379,096 lbs., value £299,545. Tops.

No. 29.—CUSTOMS AND EXCISE REVENUE.

STATEMENT shewing the Gross Revenue from Customs and Excise, under the Sixteen Tariff Divisions, and the Total Net Revenue collected, during the Month of January, 1915 and 1914, and during the first Seven Months of the Financial Years 1914-15 and 1913-14.

Compiled from information supplied by the Department of Trade and Customs.
(Subject to Revision.)

Division.	January		Seven Months of Financial Year.	
	1915.	1914.	1914-15.	1913-14.
CUSTOMS.	£	£	£	£
1. Ales, Spirits, and Beverages ...	105,230	216,978	1,822,592	1,659,403
2. Tobacco, and Manufactures thereof ...	113,113	105,187	836,699	783,794
3. Sugar... ..	1,477	16,405	60,318	159,178
4. Agricultural Products and Groceries ...	83,699	94,760	581,369	603,235
5. Textiles, etc., and Attire ...	204,220	306,409	1,304,225	1,437,415
6. Metals and Machinery ...	195,089	148,598	1,072,469	962,268
7. Oils, Paints, and Varnishes ...	42,095	28,812	201,008	179,492
8. Earthenware, etc. ...	35,703	38,978	211,890	252,587
9. Drugs and Chemicals ...	12,028	11,394	75,729	74,692
10. Wood, Wicker, and Cane ...	48,432	58,790	304,742	342,032
11. Jewellery & Fancy Goods ...	21,161	20,464	156,967	185,724
12. Leather and Rubber ...	38,302	41,066	267,367	274,726
13. Paper and Stationery ...	29,157	19,846	151,171	148,895
14. Vehicles ...	24,529	26,695	188,966	179,783
15. Musical Instruments ...	6,462	14,020	57,467	97,992
16. Miscellaneous ...	20,252	25,274	174,884	218,226
Other Miscellaneous Receipts ...	5,198	5,427	21,727	23,864
Total Customs ...	986,147	1,179,103	7,489,590	7,583,306
EXCISE.				
Beer ...	125,389	78,406	629,120	473,901
Spirits ...	20,711	29,858	288,312	241,436
Sugar ...	...	4	1,297	179,575
Tobacco, Cigars, Cigarettes, and Snuff ...	77,574	75,729	587,142	542,961
Licences, etc. ...	846	1,107	5,447	5,719
Total Excise ...	224,520	185,104	1,511,318	1,443,592
Total Gross Customs and Excise Collection	1,210,667	1,364,207	9,000,908	9,026,898
Drawbacks and Repayments ...	34,372	21,770	190,824	182,840
TOTAL NET REVENUE ...	1,176,295	1,342,437	8,810,084	8,844,058

Section IV.—Finance.

No. 30.—COMMONWEALTH CONSOLIDATED REVENUE FUND.

RECEIPTS.

Source of Revenue.	1901-2.	1910-1.	1911-2.	1912-3.	1913-4.	1914-5. Treasurer's Estimate
	£	£	£	£	£	£
Customs	7,669,970	10,507,080	12,071,434	13,055,924	12,652,736	11,702,000
Excise	1,224,349	2,473,364	2,638,702	2,497,109	2,325,333	2,559,000
Land Tax ... ..	...	1,370,345	1,366,457	1,564,794	1,609,945	2,700,000
Post, Telegraph, and Telephone	2,372,861	3,906,015	3,916,254	4,226,313	4,510,917	4,566,000
Patents, Trade Marks, etc. ...	...	26,560	24,720	23,992	28,326	29,000
Northern Territory ... ..	...	*162,034	31,225	40,084	55,731	44,000
Coinage ... ..	...	198,893	156,489	122,647	208,348	200,000
Light Dues, etc. ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	60,000
Probate and Succession Duties	...	...	...	...	...	1,000,000
Other Receipts	29,805	161,946	343,239	376,221	349,085	413,000
Total Revenue	11,296,985	18,806,237	20,548,520	21,907,084	21,740,423	23 273,000†
Per head of population	£ s. d. 2 19 0	£ s. d. 4 5 0	£ s. d. 4 9 11	£ s. d. 4 12 7	£ s. d. 4 9 3	£ s. d. 4 13 5

* Includes £151,513 credit balance Northern Territory Funds, at 31st December, 1910, paid by the State of South Australia. † The revenue will be augmented by a loan of £10,000,000 from the British Government for war purposes, and by Treasury Bills in aid of revenue to the value of £2,588,314.

DISBURSEMENTS.

Departments and Purposes.	1901-2.	1910-1.	1911-2.	1912-3.	1913-4.	1914-5. Treasurer's Estimate
	£	£	£	£	£	£
GOVERNOR-GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT...	29,185	21,375	23,842	21,648	17,815	19,858
PARLIAMENT	122,796	211,769	189,700	281,261	243,013	357,634
DEPARTMENT OF THE PRIME MINISTER						
Prime Minister's Office	a	a	b 7,049	b 21,983	44,086	16,946
Auditor-General, Staff, etc. (c) ...	d	8,819	9,454	10,663	12,144	12,785
Public Service Commissr., Staff, etc.	e	16,989	17,881	20,683	22,200	23,896
Miscellaneous	a	4,350	2,346	4,528	4,293	3,898
Total Dept. of Prime Minister ...		30,158	36,730	57,857	82,723	57,525
DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY—						
Treasury	4,592	12,272	13,708	17,052	22,654	24,084
Land Tax Office ... ..	...	15,824	55,375	72,784	76,617	81,550
Invalid and Old Age Pensions Office	...	37,492	39,810	42,543	44,992	48,440
Old Age Pensions, etc. ... ..	...	1,874,489	2,155,480	2,388,388	2,579,265	2,800,000
Maternity Allowance ... ..	...	...	412,375	674,990	674,990	730,000
Administration ... ..	...	...	...	5,867	10,137	10,745
Coinage ... ..	...	221	22,753	11,920	9,588	12,000
Other Expenditure	f 7,545	19,223	g 24,852	36,635	66,234	219,814
New Works ... ..	...	...	...	4,076	1,637	5,000
Total Dept. of Treasury	12,137	1,959,521	2,311,978	2,891,640	3,486,114	3,931,633
ATTORNEY-GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT—						
High Court & Court of Conciliation	...	25,851	26,907	28,024	39,857	39,500
Patents, Trade Marks, etc. ... ..	...	20,140	23,291	22,768	24,982	25,901
Other Expenditure	2,680	9,487	12,701	15,725	17,599	23,233
Total Attorney-General's Dept.	2,680	55,478	62,899	66,517	82,438	88,634
DEPARTMENT OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS						
Administrative	7,718	10,559	15,684	16,486	18,360	22,343
High Commissioner's Office... ..	...	20,286	17,282	24,351	27,607	37,191
Papua	20,000	30,616	30,280	64,987	60,652	62,141
Northern Territory ... ..	...	326,347	248,758	281,140	334,831	321,005
Port Augusta Railway ... ..	...	...	119,426	85,965	102,394	104,390
Mail Service to the Pacific ... ..	...	18,700	19,850	21,350	22,350	22,850
Advertising Resources of the C'wealth	...	15,640	19,719	19,773	41,979	10,000
Miscellaneous	5,158	27,728	20,951	47,438	70,685	92,633
New Works, Northern Territory ...	...	...	22,325	63,564	50,545	34,610
Other ... ..	...	...	951	1,726	108	10,218
Total Dept. of External Affairs	32,876	449,876	515,226	625,280	728,511	716,781

(a) Included in department of External Affairs (b) Includes printing and distribution of Gazettes and Statutes formerly included with Miscellaneous. (c) Further expenditure on account of audit (£11,131 in 1911-12) is charged against Customs, Defence, and Post departments. (d) Included in Treasury department. (e) Included in department of Home Affairs. (f) Includes Audit department subsequently included in Prime Minister's department. (g) Includes advance to Commonwealth Bank, £5000.

COMMONWEALTH CONSOLIDATED REVENUE FUND (Continued).

Departments and Purposes.	1901-2.	1910-1.	1911-2.	1912-3.	1913-4.	1914-5. Trea- surer's Estimate
	£	£	£	£	£	£
DEPT. OF DEFENCE—						
Central Administration	12,250	45,182	64,304	74,480	86,250	97,112
Royal Military College ... ..	...	11,665	28,186	39,713	49,056	51,500
Factories (Defence requisites) work- ing expenses ... ..	...	13,887	97,651	90,478	82,554	59,497
Naval Agreement	104,969	200,000	200,000	166,600	...	...
Naval Forces	46,246	86,140	248,731	624,150	867,583	2,331,686
Military Forces	586,317	945,536	1,258,871	1,427,252	1,538,544	12,254,490
Interest, &c., on transferred properties	...	...	162,132	122,561	94,858	209,970
Additions, New Works, etc.—						
Fleet Unit ... ..	...	1,135,000	1,108,171	758,342	753,537	750,000
Other	53,321	475,228	845,028	1,148,276	1,047,890	2,010,374
Miscellaneous	58,115	93,388	68,774	67,453	232,463	314,750
Total Dept. of Defence	861,218	3,006,026	4,081,848	4,346,305	4,752,735	18,079,379
DEPT. OF TRADE & CUSTOMS—						
Customs and Excise	262,353	330,311	361,903	404,842	394,286	424,713
Quarantine ... ..	...	21,246	22,973	23,371	43,440	37,584
Fisheries ... ..	...	5,354	6,688	6,754	7,443	7,781
Lighthouses and Navigation	...	...	...	2,041	6,163	64,890
Analyst ... ..	...	2,511	3,235	2,523	3,439	3,644
Interstate Commission ... ..	...	...	...	...	10,322	11,563
Sugar Bounties ... ..	...	630,762	543,503	370,125	149,244	...
Iron Bonus ... ..	...	29,427	23,048	18,098	51,810	10,500
Shale Oil Bounties ... ..	...	1,473	3,368	3,759	329	...
Wood Pulp and Rock Phosphate Bounties ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	5,000
Other Bounties ... ..	...	10,267	19,574	14,412	13,975	12,000
Interest on transferred properties	...	...	39,514	29,859	49,351	29,670
Additions, New Works, etc.—						
Customs	150	1,922	1,011	9,013	608	7,015
Quarantine ... ..	...	2,018	13,204	28,093	34,241	50,730
Lighthouses ... ..	...	...	...	7,462	9,183	90,149
Construction of Vessels ... ..	...	...	800	6,704	11,982	14,968
Total Dept. of Trade and Customs	262,503	1,035,291	1,038,821	927,056	785,816	770,207
POSTMASTER-GENERAL'S DEPT.—						
General Expenditure	2,346,666	3,559,785	3,962,251	4,496,616	4,941,537	5,225,823
Interest, &c., on transferred properties	...	...	368,645	285,099	217,730	217,700
Additions, New Works, etc....	37,149	783,446	1,443,115	1,088,022	1,123,727	1,402,426
Total Postmaster-General's Dept. ...	2,383,815	4,343,231	5,774,011	5,869,737	6,282,994	6,845,949
DEPT. OF HOME AFFAIRS—						
Administrative Staff	8,260	14,178	15,684	22,606	26,150	31,209
Public Works Staff ... ..	...	11,505	17,192	26,054	11,129	14,491
Lands and Surveys ... ..	...	...	2,531	13,699	19,861	28,569
Bureau of Census and Statistics	...	12,009	12,647	14,260	15,702	19,888
Census (Collection of, etc.) ... ..	...	94,558	56,209	15,626	6,004	3,000
Meteorological Bureau ... ..	...	17,389	22,389	22,729	23,556	31,122
Additions, New Works, etc. ... ..	...	47,318	d 128,290	d 186,345	d 266,124	d 276,180
Railways ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	185,157
Miscellaneous	17,748	11,672	9,602	16,902	47,643	137,749
Total Dept. of Home Affairs... ..	26,008	208,629	264,544	318,221	416,169	727,365
Total Expenditure	3,733,218	11,321,354	14,299,599	15,405,522	16,878,328	31,594,965
Contribution to States	7,368,137	5,196,424	5,824,423	f 6,119,930	f 6,282,999	f 6,418,750
Total Disbursements	11,101,355	16,517,778	20,124,022	21,525,452	23,161,327	38,013,715
Per head of population—	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Commonwealth Expenditure	19 6	2 11 2	3 2 7	3 5 1	3 9 3	6 6 10
Contribution to States	1 18 6	1 3 6	1 5 6	f 1 5 10	f 1 5 10	f 1 5 9
Total Disbursements	2 18 0	3 14 8	4 8 1	4 10 11	4 15 1	7 12 7

(b) Exclusive of £1,837,174 paid to Trust Fund on account of Defence (£918,587) and Old Age Pensions (£918,587). (d) Federal Capital and sundry departments. (e) Exclusive of £424,366 paid to Trust Fund on account of Old Age Pensions and Construction of Fleet. (f) Includes special payment to Tasmania. (g) Including £475,342 expended from Trust Fund. (h) In addition, £856,974 was paid into Trust Fund. (i) Further expenditure charged to Defence and Post Office

**No. 31.—COMMONWEALTH TRUST FUND INVESTMENTS,
31st DECEMBER, 1914.**

AUSTRALIAN NOTES FUNDS.

	Amount.	Rate of Interest.	Date of Maturity.	Annual Amount of Interest.
	£	per cent.		£
Commonwealth Inscribed Stock	3,680,000	3½	{ 1.4.1962 to 1.4.1972 }	128,800
„ Treasury Bills	3,745,000	4	{ 24.9.1915 to 31.12.1915 }	149,800
State Government Securities—				
N.S.W. Funded Stock ..	800,000	3¾	10.8.1919	30,000
„ Treasury Bills ..	616,667	4	*	24,667
Victorian Government Debentures (face value, £800,000)	784,000	3½	1.5.1921	28,000
Vict. Government Debentures	243,000	4	12/25.9.1915	9,720
„ Treasury Bills ..	675,000	4	*	27,000
South Aust. Treasury Bills ..	316,667	4	*	12,667
Western Australian Stock ..	590,000	3¾	1.1.1926	22,125
W. Australian Treasury Bills	243,750	4	{ 31.8.1915 to 14.11.1915 }	9,750
„ „ „	258,333	4	*	10,333
Tasmanian Inscribed Stock	{ 160,000 300,000 }	{ 3¾ 3¾ }	{ 1.4.1921 1.10.1921 }	{ 17,250 3,333 }
„ Treasury Bills ..	83,333	4	*	
Fixed Deposits—				
Sundry Banks	241,000	4	{ 5.9.1915 to 29.9.1915 }	9,640
Total	12,736,750	..	..	483,085

* Treasury Bills with currency of two years from date of loan instalment.

OTHER FUNDS.

Investment	Amount.	Rate of Interest.	Date of Maturity.	Annual Amount of Interest.
	£ s d.	per cent.		£ s d.
General Trust Funds—				
Commonwealth Inscribed Stock	825,500 0 0	3½	{ 1.4.1962 to 1.4.1972 }	28,892 10 0
Victorian Govt. Debentures—				
(Face value, £2300)	2,012 17 6	3	{ 1.7.1921 to 1.1.1932 }	69 0 0
(Face value, £2500)	2,471 5 0	3½	1.4.1916	87 10 0
Silver and Bronze Bullion	97,976 18 5	..	..	..
Fidelity Guarantee Fund—				
Vic. Govt. Debentures—				
(Face value, £2600) ..	2,567 0 0	{ 3 and 3½ }	{ 1.4.1916 to 1.7.1930 }	88 0 0

COMMONWEALTH TRUST FUND INVESTMENTS (continued).

OTHER FUNDS.—continued.

Investment.	Amount.			Rate of Interest.	Date of Maturity.	Annual Amount of Interest.		
	£	s.	d.	per cent.		£	s.	d.
Sinking Funds—								
Northern Territory and Port Augusta Railway Loans—								
Commonwealth Inscribed Stock	50,700	0	0	3½	1.4.1962 to 1.4.1972	1,774	10	0
Stock Redemption Fund—								
Commonwealth Inscribed Stock	23,800	0	0	3½	1.4.1962 to 1.4.1972	833	0	0
Officers' Assurance—								
Fixed Deposits—								
Bank of New South Wales, Melbourne ..	1,550	0	0	4	6.3.1915 to 17.11.1916	62	0	0
Savings Bank, Melbourne—								
Deposit	221	3	2	3 and 3½	..	7	2	8
Total	1,006,799	4	1	..	..	31,813	12	8

No. 32.—STATEMENT OF LOAN APPROPRIATIONS AND EXPENDITURE.

	Loan Appropriation.	Expenditure.			
		1911-12.	1912-13.	1913-14.	Half-year ending 31st Dec., 1914.
	£	£	£	£	£
Railways—					
Construction—Kalgoorlie to Port Augusta	4,400,000	...	595,614	1,346,833	813,004
Pine Creek	400,000	...	...	126,480	24,137
Redemption of Loans—Port Augusta Railway	320,581	...	168,954	135,627	11,981
Payment to South Australia on account construction of Port Augusta Railway ..	34,476	34,476	...	...	...
Northern Territory—					
Redemption of Loans raised by South Aust.	697,945	226,000	71,945	...	...
Papua—					
Railways and Wharves	60,000	...	...	685	15,060
Post and Telegraph—					
Purchase of land	290,000	...	...	41,215	53,797
Construction of conduits, etc.	875,000	...	...	258,401	73,829
Federal Territory	600,000	...	179,525	180,436	29,070
London Offices, land and buildings ..	750,000	400,000	19,784	64,887	4,802
Acquisition of land, Perth, W. A. ..	153,000	...	152,205	...	...
Defence Machinery, etc., Dockyards—Cockatoo Island	175,000	...	...	...	795
In aid of Revenue	7,000,000	...	...	...	3,195,000
	15,756,002	660,476	1,188,027	2,154,564	4,221,475

No. 33.—LOANS BY THE COMMONWEALTH GOVERNMENT TO THE GOVERNMENTS OF THE SEVERAL STATES AT 31st DECEMBER, 1914.

	Rate of Interest.	Date of Maturity.	Amount.
New South Wales—			£
Funded Stock	3 $\frac{3}{4}$ per cent.	10.8.1919	800,000
Treasury Bills	4 „	*	616,667
			1,416,667
Victoria—			
Government Debentures (face value, £800,000)	3 $\frac{1}{2}$ per cent.	1.5.1921	784,000
do: (face value £2,300)	3 „	1.7.21–1.1.32	2,013
do. („ £2,500)	3 $\frac{1}{2}$ „	1.4.1916	2,471
do. („ £2,600)	3 & 3 $\frac{1}{2}$ „	1.4.16–1.7.30	2,567
do.	4 „	12–25.9.1915	243,000
Treasury Bills	4 „	*	675,000
			1,708,051
South Australia—			
Treasury Bills	4 per cent.	*	316,667
Western Australia—			
Government Stock	3 $\frac{3}{4}$ per cent.	1.1.1926	590,000
Treasury Bills	4 „	31.8.15–14.11.15	243,750
do.	4 „	*	258,333
			1,092,083
Tasmania—			
Inscribed Stock	3 $\frac{3}{4}$ per cent.	1.4.1921	160,000
Inscribed Stock	3 $\frac{3}{4}$ „	1.10.1921	300,000
Treasury Bills	4	*	83,333
			543,333
Total			5,076,801

* Treasury Bills with currency of two years from date of loan instalment.

No. 34.—AUSTRALIAN NOTES ACCOUNT, 31st DECEMBER, 1914.

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Gold in Treasury .. £8,013,427 10 0	Circulation .. £20,256,318 0 0
Account current in banks 81,966 11 11	Accumulation of interest £678,403 4 5
Investments and fixed deposits 12,736,750 0 0	Less expenses 103,577 2 6
	574,826 1 11
	Sundry banks .. 1,000 0 0
£20,832,144 1 11	£20,832,144 1 11

No. 35.—COMMONWEALTH PUBLIC DEBT, 30th JUNE, 1914.

	£
Commonwealth Inscribed Stock	4,100,000
South Australian Debt transferred—	
On account Northern Territory	3,359,891
„ Port Augusta-Oodnadatta Railway	1,935,431
Total	9,395,322
Value of properties transferred from States	9,787,011
Total	19,182,333

No. 36.—COMMONWEALTH REVENUE AND EXPENDITURE, JANUARY 1915 and 1914, AND DURING SEVEN MONTHS OF THE FINANCIAL YEARS 1914-15 and 1913-14.

	January.		Seven Months of Financial Year.	
	1915.	1914.	1914-15.	1913-14.
REVENUE—	£	£	£	£
Customs	956,941	1,155,469	7,283,593	7,379,599
Excise	224,405	184,908	1,509,254	1,442,402
Post, Telegraph, and Telephone	394,767	398,873	2,672,071	2,601,838
Land Tax	20,442	9,732	165,948	149,260
Patents, Trade Marks, etc.	1,442	2,205	13,535	15,035
Quarantine	4,566	1,112	11,179	8,651
Coinage	16,638	11,032	149,580	156,708
Northern Territory	4,375	2,826	23,948	24,274
Other Receipts	26,289	21,159	131,380	140,576
Sale of Treasury Bills ... ..	...	...	3,195,000	...
Proceeds of Loan from British Government for War Purposes	1,500,000	...	3,000,000	...
Total Revenue	3,149,865	1,787,316	18,155,488	11,918,343
EXPENDITURE—				
Ordinary Expenditure	2,438,571	1,561,521	12,768,732	6,918,423
Additions, New Works	55,830	52,063	1,294,190	1,321,905
Amount paid to State Treasurers	515,143	502,077	3,611,623	3,514,545
Total Expenditure	3,009,544	2,115,661	17,674,545	11,754,873

No. 37.—COMMONWEALTH NOTES ISSUED AS AT UNDERMENTIONED DATES.

Denomina- tion.	29th Dec., 1910.	27th Dec., 1911.	24th Dec., 1912.	27th Dec., 1913.	24th June, 1914.	30th Sept., 1914.	24th Feb., 1915.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
10/- ... ..	...	...	...	18,413	24,276	56,723	343,532
£1	1,175,566	3,511,163	3,191,100	3,144,170	2,963,392	4,124,403	6,516,076
£5	952,040	3,263,445	3,414,695	3,438,055	3,329,130	4,308,710	4,221,355
£10	675,020	1,724,210	1,771,300	1,657,970	1,625,400	1,918,280	1,813,750
£20	177,500	397,740	405,780	325,360	338,040	417,300	397,680
£50	294,050	890,700	819,400	916,000	797,400	1,043,750	1,274,300
£100	115,300	369,100	410,000	479,600	496,100	1,150,800	1,877,200
£1000 ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	47,000	8,504,000
Total	3,389,476	10,156,358	10,012,275	9,979,568	9,573,738	13,066,966	24,947,893
Gold reserve	1,140,344	4,949,422	4,465,339	4,512,599	4,106,767	6,567,496	10,048,658
Per cent. of reserve	33.65	48.73	44.60	45.22	42.90	50.26	40.28

No. 38.—OLD-AGE AND INVALID PENSIONS.

State.	Number of Pensioners as at 1/1/15.			Number per 10,000 of Population.†		Average Fort- nightly Pen- sion as at 30/6/14.		Aggregate Annual Rate of Payment (approximate).	
	Old-age.	Invalid.	Total Old-age and Invalid.	Old- age.	Inva- lid.	Old- age.	Inva- lid.	Amnt.	Per head of Pop.
New South Wales	32,611	7,181	39,792	175	39	s. d. 19 5	s. d. 19 8	£ 1,006,829	s. d. 10 10
Victoria	27,381	5,405	32,786	191	38	19 6	19 8	832,249	11 8
Queensland	11,845	2,205	14,050	173	32	19 6	19 7	356,397	10 5
South Australia	8,727	1,370	10,097	197	31	19 2	19 7	252,244	11 5
Western Australia	4,060	865	4,925	124	27	19 3	19 6	123,476	7 7
Tasmania	4,513	1,266	5,779	229	64	19 0	19 6	143,564	14 7
Total	89,137	18,292	107,429	180	35	19 5	19 8	2,714,759	11 0

† Population taken as at 30th September, 1914

No. 39.—COMMONWEALTH MATERNITY ALLOWANCES.**Number of Claims Passed for Payment.**

The Maternity Allowance Act came into force on 10th October, 1912, and from that date until 31st December, 1914, the following Claims were passed for payment:—

Period.	N.S.W.	Vic.	Q'land.	S. Aust.	W.A.	Tasmania.	Commonwealth.
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
10th Oct. to 31st Dec., 1912 ...	5,604	4,763	2,211	1,366	806	758	15,508
1st Jan. „ 30th June, 1913 ...	25,441	18,033	9,919	6,223	4,579	2,853	67,048
1st July „ 31st Dec., 1913 ...	26,123	18,603	9,790	6,261	4,726	3,116	68,619
1st Jan. „ 30th June, 1914 ...	25,116	17,457	9,920	6,505	4,464	2,917	66,379
1st July „ 31st Dec., 1914 ...	28,574	19,114	10,378	6,602	4,940	3,172	72,780
Total ...	110,858	77,970	42,218	26,957	19,515	12,816	290,334

COMMONWEALTH LAND TAX.**No. 40.—SALES AND PURCHASES OF LAND between 30th June, 1912, and 30th June, 1913 (by persons who have lodged returns).****SALES.**

STATE.	TOWN LAND.		COUNTRY LAND.			TOTAL.	
	No. of Sales.	Un-improved Value.	No. of Sales.	Un-improved Value.	Area.	No. of Sales.	Un-improved Value.
		£		£	acres.		£
Central and Victoria ..	8,475	2,304,255	2,700	4,586,505	1,548,751	11,175	6,890,760
New South Wales ..	6,048	2,060,701	1,185	3,308,200	1,834,568	7,233	5,368,901
Queensland ..	1,354	416,207	383	309,783	203,227	1,737	725,990
South Australia ..	378	472,416	356	872,569	468,332	734	1,350,985
Western Australia ..	1,401	161,322	233	234,177	159,399	1,634	395,499
Tasmania ..	179	79,342	196	178,150	102,997	375	257,492
TOTAL, 1912-13 ..	17,835	5,500,243	5,053	9,489,384	4,317,274	22,888	14,989,627
Total 1911-12 ..	10,550	5,100,724	3,518	8,813,414	5,393,452	14,068	13,914,138
Total 1910-11 (1st Oct. to 30th June) ..	..	..	..	..	..	18,288	18,188,293

PURCHASES.

STATE.	TOWN LAND.		COUNTRY LAND.			TOTAL.	
	No. of Purchases.	Un-improved Value.	No. of Purchases.	Un-improved Value.	Area.	No. of Purchases.	Un-improved Value.
		£		£	acres.		£
Central and Victoria ..	1,137	1,241,568	1,248	3,184,254	1,322,165	2,385	4,425,822
New South Wales ..	499	1,305,078	503	2,119,270	1,422,335	1,002	3,424,348
Queensland ..	184	251,936	110	198,104	124,326	294	450,040
South Australia ..	125	192,236	212	549,756	275,239	337	741,992
Western Australia ..	77	90,059	43	79,292	74,319	120	169,351
Tasmania ..	30	8,565	17	16,422	25,391	47	24,987
TOTAL, 1912-13 ..	2,052	3,089,442	2,133	6,147,098	3,243,775	4,185	9,236,540
Total 1911-12 ..	1,059	1,790,931	852	2,899,250	2,010,056	1,911	4,690,181
Total 1910-11 (1st Oct. to 30th June) ..	..	..	..	..	..	3,874	9,266,506

No. 42.—COMMONWEALTH LAND TAX ASSESSMENTS, 1910-1913.

	1910.	1911-12.	1912-13.
NUMBER OF TAXPAYERS—	No.	No.	No.
Resident Owners .. .. .	..	..	12,664
Absentee Owners .. .. .	..	..	2,711
TOTAL	14,210	15,298	15,375
UNIMPROVED VALUE OF LAND AS RETURNED BY OWNERS—	£	£	£
Resident	200,873,622	179,615,366	177,922,403
Absentee	6,673,918	6,543,523	4,941,308
TOTAL	207,547,540	186,158,889	182,863,711
UNIMPROVED VALUE AS ASCERTAINED BY DEPARTMENT—			
Resident	173,286,378	183,884,035	189,822,942
Absentee	5,160,320	6,707,890	5,273,243
TOTAL	178,446,698	190,591,925	195,096,185
TAX ASSESSED ON—			
Urban Land—Resident Owners ..	432,565	474,291	536,055
Absentee Owners ..	25,567	51,164	39,817
TOTAL	458,132	525,455	575,872
Rural Land—Resident Owners ..	909,647	886,953	860,081
Absentee Owners ..	37,190	32,852	24,010
TOTAL	946,837	919,805	884,091
All Land—Resident Owners ..	1,342,212	1,361,244	1,396,136
Absentee Owners ..	62,757	84,016	63,827
TOTAL	1,404,969	1,445,260	1,459,963
AREA OF RURAL LAND ASSESSED acres	..	63,648,925	64,027,662
ASSESSED TAX PER ACRE ON RURAL LAND	..	3 468d.	3.314d.

No. 43.—LAND TAX ASSESSMENTS, 1912-13.

MISCELLANEOUS PARTICULARS RELATING TO EACH STATE.

	N.S.W.	Vic.	Q'land.	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	Total.
Area of State	1,000 ac.	1,000 ac.	1,000 ac.	1,000 ac.	1,000 ac.	1,000 ac.	1,000 ac.
Per cent. to Total	198,638*	56,246	429,120	243,245	624,589	16,777	1,903,732†
	10.4	3.1	22.6	12.7	32.8	0.8	100
Land Alienated, in Process of Alienation or held under Lease or Licence	1,000 ac.	1,000 ac.	1,000 ac.	1,000 ac.	1,000 ac.	1,000 ac.	1,000 ac.
Per cent. to Total	182,408	45,498	343,066	127,865	209,910	7,958	1,013,206‡
	18.0	4.5	33.9	12.6	20.7	0.8	100
Area of Rural Land included in Taxable Returns	1,000 ac.	1,000 ac.	1,000 ac.	1,000 ac.	1,000 ac.	1,000 ac.	1,000 ac.
Per cent. to Total	33,100	9,362	6,909	7,077	4,886	2,694	64,028
	51.7	14.6	10.8	11.1	7.6	4.2	100
Aver. Tax per acre on Rural Lands	3.427d.	5.389d.	2.358d.	2.964d.	.984d.	2.299d.	3.514d.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Tax Assessed on Urban Lands	285,393	161,007	43,373	44,864	33,161	8,074	575,872
Tax Assessed on Rural Lands	472,719	210,237	67,866	87,396	20,054	25,819	884,091
Total Tax Assessed	758,112	371,244	111,239	132,260	53,215	33,893	1,459,963
Tax Assessed in each State per cent. to Total—							
Urban Lands	49.6	28.0	7.5	7.8	5.7	1.4	100
Rural Lands	53.4	23.8	7.7	9.9	2.3	2.9	100
Total	52.0	25.5	7.6	9.0	3.6	2.3	100
No. of Taxable Returns§							
Resident	4,026	4,119	833	1,557	465	433	12,664||
Absentee	531	763	269	334	413	161	2,711||
Total	4,557	4,882	1,102	1,891	878	594	15,375||

Including Federal Capital Territory.

† Includes Northern Territory, 335,117,000 acres, or 17.6 % of the total area.

‡ Includes Northern Territory, 96,501,000 acres, or 9.5 % of the total

land alienated, etc. § See note ||.

|| Including returns embracing properties in more than one State: Resident, 1231; Absentee, 240; Total, 1471.

State Finance.

No. 44.—CONSOLIDATED REVENUE FUNDS OF STATES

REVENUE, 1911-12.

Sources of Revenue.	New Sth. Wales.	Victoria.	Queens- land.	South Aust.	Western Aust.	Tas- mania.	Total.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Taxation	1,885,653	1,501,696	787,577	551,994	352,314	340,434	5,419,668
Railways and Tramways ...	8,067,597	5,237,466	3,032,929	2,145,634	1,896,579	314,708	20,694,913
Land—Sales	1,765,459	225,335	875,221	347,428	243,350	60,300	3 953,058
Rentals		133,596		131,352	136,753	34,264	
Commonwealth Subsidy ...	2,046,993	1,667,657	757,087	511,719	597,879	236,761	5,818,096
All other Sources	2,011,114	1,244,046	536,533	762,612	739,798	98,196	5,392,299
Total Revenue	15,776,816	10,009,796	5,989,347	4,450,739	3,966,673	1,084,663	41,278,034
„ „ per head	£ s. d. 9 8 5	£ s. d. 7 6 11	£ s. d. 9 12 6	£ s. d. 10 12 10	£ s. d. 13 9 9	£ s. d. 5 12 1	£ s. d. 9 0 8

1912-13.

Taxation	1,405,360	1,577,878	806,677	536,401	393,615	345,282	5,065,213
Railways and Tramways ...	8,544,376	5,250,599	3,318,752	2,265,827	2,047,820	324,909	21,752,283
Land—Sales	999,363	233,232	910,202	222,343	382,117	62,568	3,967,027
Rentals	836,585	149,899					
Commonwealth Subsidy ...	2,178,683	1,691,833	775,948	527,151	605,145	336,709	6,115,469
All other Sources	2,092,931	1,383,844	566,634	817,057	1,167,962	104,025	6,132,453
Total Revenue	16,057,298	10,287,285	6,378,213	4,506,698	4,596,659	1,206,292	43,032,445
„ „ per head	£ s. d. 9 0 6	£ s. d. 7 9 0	£ s. d. 10 0 5	£ s. d. 10 9 6	£ s. d. 15 0 3	£ s. d. 6 2 4	£ s. d. 9 1 10

1913-14.

Taxation	2,230,005	1,598,876	887,798	730,640	386,104	371,413	6,304,836
Railways and Tramways ...	9,684,877	5,568,039	3,675,562	2,401,987	2,382,022	330,447	24,042,934
Land—Sales	990,477	160,690	973,343	162,545	249,182	67,983	3,910,570
Rentals	838,410	146,172					
Commonwealth Subsidy ...	2,248,241	1,733,280	807,053	540,113	613,606	(a) 337,536	6,279,829
All other Sources	2,206,615	1,523,904	629,503	850,711	1,425,207	94,931	6,730,871
Total Revenue	18,298,625	10,730,961	6,973,259	4,822,766	5,205,343	1,238,086	47,269,040
„ „ per head	£ s. d. 9 19 10	£ s. d. 7 11 11	£ s. d. 10 11 3	£ s. d. 10 19 2	£ s. d. 16 4 8	£ s. d. 6 2 9	£ s. d. 9 14 1

(a) Includes special grant, £90,000.

EXPENDITURE, 1911-12.

Heads of Expenditure.	New Sth. Wales.	Victoria.	Queens- land.	South Aust.	Western Aust.	Tas- mania.	Total.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Interest and Charges on Pub- lic Debt	3,889,023	2,312,107	1,724,304	1,379,676	1,101,560	462,597	10,869,267
Railways and Tramways (ex- clusive of construction) ...	5,422,085	3,330,249	51,915,246	1,395,839	1,354,847	221,175	13,639,441
All other Expenditure	5,965,893	4,356,986	2,326,142	1,675,224	1,644,675	380,953	16,349,873
Total Expenditure	15,277,001	9,999,342	5,965,692	4,450,739	4,101,082	1,064,725	40,858,581
„ „ per head	£ s. d. 9 2 8	£ s. d. 7 6 9	£ s. d. 9 11 9	£ s. d. 10 12 10	£ s. d. 13 18 10	£ s. d. 5 10 1	£ s. d. 8 18 10

EXPENDITURE, 1912-13.

Heads of Expenditure.	New Sth. Wales.	Victoria.	Queens- land.	South Aust.	Western Aust.	Tas- mania.	Total.
Interest and Charges on Public Debt ...	£ 3,988,336	£ 2,415,324	£ 1,844,096	£ 1,314,091	£ 1,207,967	£ 447,581	£ 11,217,395
Railways and Tramways (exclusive of construction) ...	6,390,420	3,459,832	2,148,991	1,479,301	1,518,293	217,355	15,214,192
All other Expenditure ...	6,419,744	4,382,925	2,379,010	1,713,306	2,060,803	430,947	17,386,735
Total Expenditure ...	16,798,500	10,258,081	6,372,097	4,506,698	4,787,063	1,095,883	43,818,322
„ „ per head ...	£ s. d. 9 9 0	£ s. d. 7 8 8	£ s. d. 10 0 3	£ s. d. 10 9 6	£ s. d. 15 12 9	£ s. d. 5 11 2	£ s. d. 9 5 2

1913-14.

Interest and Charges on Public Debt ...	3,908,853	2,502,050	1,972,826	1,260,892	1,384,096	497,252	11,525,969
Railways and Tramways (exclusive of Construction) ...	7,123,569	3,781,671	2,391,145	1,585,286	1,658,276	224,407	16,764,354
All other Expenditure ...	6,669,429	4,433,921	2,598,545	1,757,952	2,298,382	513,353	18,271,582
Total Expenditure ...	17,701,851	10,717,642	6,962,516	4,604,130	5,340,754	1,235,012	46,561,905
„ „ per head ...	£ s. d. 9 13 3	£ s. d. 7 11 9	£ s. d. 10 10 11	£ s. d. 10 9 3	£ s. d. 16 13 1	£ s. d. 6 2 6	£ s. d. 9 11 1

No. 45.—LOANS EXPENDITURE DURING THE YEAR 1913-14.

Heads of Expenditure.	New Sth. Wales.	Victoria.	Queens- land.	South Aust.	Western Aust.	Tas- mania.	Total.
Railways and Tramways ...	£ 5,714,964	£ 2,361,660	£ 1,679,482	£ 1,489,168	£ 1,227,711	£ 146,055	£ 12,619,040
Water Supply, Water Conservation, and Sewerage ...	1,942,497	229,127	1,654	484,670	331,320	...	2,989,268
Harbours, Rivers, & Lights ...	862,927	26,293	...	135,197	6,170	191,428	1,297,102
Roads and Bridges ...	23,703	18,424	3,833	17,838	11,289	...	389,162
Land Purchased for Settlement. Public Buildings, including State schools ...	338,782	84,786	68,818	60,337	57,944	50,504	661,171
All other purposes ...	243,971	252,769	436,363	510,799	1,248,735	89,604	2,782,241
Total ...	9,126,844	3,276,994	2,190,150	2,762,686	2,883,169	498,141	20,737,984
Loans Expenditure per head	£ s. d. 4 19 8	£ s. d. 2 6 5	£ s. d. 3 6 4	£ s. d. 6 5 6	£ s. d. 8 19 10	£ s. d. 2 9 5	£ s. d. 4 5 1

AGGREGATE LOANS EXPENDITURE TO 30TH JUNE, 1914.

	£1000	£1000	£1000	£1000	£1000	£1000	£1000
Railways and Tramways ...	72,338	47,343	33,675	17,518	16,497	4,816	192,187
Telegraphs and Telephones...	* 1,762	...	997	992	332	142	4,225
Water Supply, Water Conservation, and Sewerage ...	19,435	11,134	365	7,389	4,289	...	42,612
Harbours, Rivers, & Lights ...	11,929	638	2,444	2,641	3,007	4,215	29,738
Roads and Bridges ...	1,863	195	928	1,483	395	...	...
Public Buildings, including State schools ...	6,468	1,996	1,614	1,247	850	1,052	13,227
Defence ...	1,457	149	363	292	...	128	2,389
Land Purchased for Settlement.	789	4,693	...	1,830	...	177	7,489
All other purposes ...	1,302	4,438	7,969	4,121	5,276	1,632	24,738
Total ...	117,343	70,586	48,355	37,513	30,646	12,162	316,605

* Including Post Offices.

† The Loan Fund of Queensland has been augmented by transfers from Revenue.

No. 46.—TOTAL PUBLIC DEBTS OF THE SEVERAL STATES on 30th JUNE, 1901 to 1914.

Year ended June 30.	N. S. W.	Victoria.	Queensland.	S. Aust.	W. Aust.	Tasmania.	Total.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1901 ...	67,361,246	50,071,275	38,416,514	26,448,805	12,709,430	8,511,005	203,518,275
1902 ...	71,592,485	50,933,957	40,418,177	27,272,545	14,942,310	9,095,735	214,255,209
1903 ...	77,692,987	51,447,900	41,031,247	27,843,370	15,627,298	9,228,963	222,871,765
1904 ...	80,033,581	51,819,962	41,773,297	28,593,645	16,090,288	9,436,839	227,747,612
1905 ...	82,321,898	51,763,767	41,764,467	28,773,695	16,642,773	9,471,971	230,738,671
1906 ...	85,641,734	53,079,800	41,764,467	30,082,635	18,058,553	9,800,631	238,427,820
1907 ...	85,607,832	53,104,989	41,764,467	30,526,718	19,222,638	9,923,083	240,149,727
1908 ...	87,635,826	53,305,487	42,264,467	29,985,858	20,493,618	10,150,233	243,835,489
1909 ...	90,307,419	54,667,197	44,276,067	30,436,183	21,951,753	10,134,914	251,773,533
1910 ...	92,525,095	55,576,725	44,276,067	31,387,870	23,287,453	10,570,453	257,623,663
1911 ...	95,523,926	57,983,764	44,613,197	34,224,653*	23,703,953	11,077,790	267,127,283
1912 ...	100,052,635	60,737,216	47,068,186	29,440,113	26,283,523	11,302,411	274,884,084
1913 ...	106,170,747	62,776,724	53,604,733	30,147,883	30,276,436	11,495,963	294,472,486
1914 ...	116,695,031	66,130,726	54,523,506	33,564,352	34,420,181	12,265,012	317,598,788
Increase since 1901.	49,333,785	16,059,451	16,106,992	7,115,527	21,710,751	3,754,007	114,080,513

* Includes Northern Territory Debt, £3,657,385, and Port Augusta to Oodnadatta Railway Debt, £2,240,011, taken over by the Commonwealth from 1st January 1911.

PUBLIC DEBT AS ON 30TH JUNE, 1914.

Particulars.	New Sth. Wales.	Victoria.	Queensland.	South Australia.	Western Australia.	Tasmania.	Total.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Floated in London ...	83,499,113	39,275,178	46,167,347	19,971,465	26,441,853	8,706,500	224,061,456
Floated in Australia ...	33,195,918	26,855,548	8,356,159	13,592,867	7,978,328	3,558,512	93,537,332
Total Gross Debt	116,695,031	66,130,726	54,523,506	33,564,332	34,420,181	12,265,012	317,598,788
Sinking Funds	391,349	1,439,511	100,056	1,608,265	3,692,103	553,676	7,784,960
Total Net Debt	116,303,682	64,691,215	54,423,450	31,956,067	30,728,078	11,711,336	309,813,828
Total Net Debt per head	£ s. d. 62 13 5	£ s. d. 45 10 0	£ s. d. 80 3 4	£ s. d. 72 18 2	£ s. d. 94 17 2	£ s. d. 59 10 5	£ s. d. 62 18 10

No. 47.—RATES OF INTEREST PAYABLE ON THE AGGREGATE PUBLIC DEBTS OF THE STATES OF THE COMMONWEALTH at 30th JUNE, 1901 to 1914.

30th June.	Amount of Debt bearing interest at								Amount not bearing interest.	Total Public Debt all States.
	6%	5%	4½%	4%	3¾%	3½%	3¼%	3%		
	£1000	£1000	£1000	£1000	£1000	£1000	£1000	£1000		
1901 ...	804	1,224	5,079	93,670	...	65,727	275	36,733	6	203,518
1902 ...	549	799	5,077	91,610	...	70,698	300	45,214	8	214,255
1903 ...	471	368	5,075	93,786	1,500	71,972	279	49,413	7	222,871
1904 ...	434	343	69	98,649	1,825	76,671	256	49,492	9	227,748
1905 ...	384	243	67	103,945	1,825	74,795	289	49,181	10	230,739
1906 ...	346	243	64	102,578	2,045	84,049	200	48,891	12	238,428
1907 ...	309	243	61	94,972	2,514	93,522	175	48,292	62	240,150
1908 ...	298	243	58	87,392	3,132	104,601	150	47,948	13	243,835
1909 ...	270	243	56	80,403	5,218	117,970	125	47,473	15	251,773
1910 ...	209	243	53	76,983	10,897	121,988	75	47,162	14	257,624
1911 ...	191	193	49	71,433	21,588	126,678	75	46,910	10	267,127
1912 ...	156	143	46	67,990	26,251	133,614	50	46,629	5	274,884
1913 ...	110	143	43	*87,611	27,855	132,109	25	46,560	16	294,472
1914 ...	75	143	39	111,772	+27,680	131,292	25	46,568	5	317,599
Increase since 1901...	-729	-1,081	-5,040	18,102	27,680	65,565	-250	9,835	-1	114,081

* £100,000 at 4½%. † Includes £750,000 discounted at £3 13s. 9d%.

NOTE.—Minus sign (—) denotes decrease.

No. 48.—LOANS RAISED IN LONDON BY THE SEVERAL STATES DURING THE FIVE YEARS ENDED 30th JUNE, 1914.

Date of Flotation.	Face Value of Loan.	Rate of Interest Payable	Fixed Price Per Cent.	Flotation Expenses.		Accrued Interest.		Net Proceeds (exclud- ing Accrued Interest.)		When Redeemable.
				Amount.	% on Face Value.	Amount.	% on Face Value.	Amount.	% on Face Value.	
NEW SOUTH WALES.										
17/2/1910	£ ... 2,750,000	3½	97	£ 66,193	2.407	£ 21,405	.778	£ 2,579,902	93.815	1/7/1950, option after 1/7/1930
16/5/1912*	... 2,000,000	3½ dis.	...	3,508	.175	...	...	1,996,492	99.825	Redeemed, 16th May, 1913
Between	{ 1,500,000	4	99	31,179	2.079	...	...	1,453,821	96.921	1st October, 1922
October, 1912	{ 3,000,000	4	98	58,800	1.960	4,093	1.364	2,877,107	95.903	" "
and May, 1913	{ 3,000,000	4	99½	77,016	2.567	4,789	1.596	2,903,195	96.775	1/7/1962, option after 1/7/1942
30/5/13	... 750,000	4	Par	1,312	.175	...	...	748,688	99.825	30/5/14
8/8/1913	... 1,500,000	4	97½	36,528	2.433	11,887	.792	1,414,085	94.272	1/7/1962, option after 1/7/1942
5/1/1914	... 3,000,000	4	96	72,232	2.408	15,854	.528	2,791,914	93.064	" " " "
22/5/1914	... 3,000,000	4	99	†	†	†	†	†	†	" " " "
27/11/1913	... 2,000,000	4 dis.	99½	3,490	.175	...	...	1,996,510	99.825	27/11/1914
15/1/1914	... 500,000	4 „	100	873	.175	...	...	499,127	99.825	" " " "
30/5/1914	... 750,000	3/13/9 dis.	100	1,309	.175	...	...	748,691	99.825	30/5/1915
VICTORIA.										
Various										
1910-11	... 538,352	3½	Par	14,135	2.626	...	...	524,217	97.374	1/10/1949, option after 1/10/1929
9/6/1913	... 3,000,000	4	98	53,107	1.770	1,666	.055	2,885,227	96.175	1/10/1922, option after 1/10/1918
16/9/1913	... 1,000,000	4	98	48,890	2.445	15,947	.797	1,885,163	94.258	1/4/1960, option after 1/4/1940
21/1/1914	... 1,000,000	4	97							
16/9/1913	... 1,000,000	4	98	23,786	2.379	1,584	.158	954,630	95.463	£82,200, 1919; £700, 1923; £14,750, 1924 £5,300, 1949

QUEENSLAND.

July, 1912	...	2,000,000	$3\frac{3}{4}$	96	48,789	2.440	14,947	.747	1,856,264	92.813	1/10/1960, option after 1/10/1940
November, 1912	...	2,000,000	4	99	48,623	2.431	22,699	1.135	1,908,678	95.433	1/10/1950 " " "
January, 1913	...	2,000,000	4	99	48,760	2.438	18,655	.933	1,912,585	95.638	" " " "
April, 1914	...	2,000,000	4	99	48,605	2.430	13,500	.675	1,917,895	95.895	1/10/1950 " " "

SOUTH AUSTRALIA.

1/12/1909	...	500,000	$3\frac{3}{4}$		†	...	†	...	†	...	£210,600, 1/12/1924 ; £289,400, 1/12/1934
25/7/1913	...	1,000,000	} 4 {	97	24,653	2.466	6,750	.675	938,597	93.859	} 1/7/1960, option after 1/7/1940
3/2/1914	...	2,000,000		par.	48,438	2.422	15,416	.771	1,936,146	96.807	

WESTERN AUSTRALIA.

2/6/1910	...	1,342,000	$3\frac{1}{2}$	$96\frac{1}{2}$	33,093	2.466	14,021	1.045	1,247,916	92.989	1/4/1955, option after 1/4/1935
14/2/1912	...	1,000,000	$3\frac{1}{4}$	99	25,768	2.577	5,392	.539	958,840	95.884	1/2/1960 " " 1/2/1940
12/12/1912	...	1,000,000	4	99	24,998	2.500	381	.038	964,621	96.462	†
19/4/1913	...	2,000,000	4	$98\frac{1}{2}$	50,396	2.520	11,140	.557	1,908,464	95.423	†
19/11/1913	...	1,000,000	4	97	26,894	2.689	18,488	1.849	924,618	92.462	1/1/1962, option after 1/1/1942
5/2/1914	...	2,000,000	4	$98\frac{1}{2}$	50,227	2.511	15,229	.762	1,904,544	95.227	" " "

TASMANIA.

12/10/1909	...	300,000	$3\frac{1}{2}$	$98\frac{1}{2}$	7,240	2.413	...	...	288,260	96.087	1/1/1940, option after 1/1/1920
January, 1913	...	1,300,000	4	99	34,943	2.687	4,587	.352	1,247,470	95.958	1/7/1950 " " 1/7/1940
March, 1914	...	1,500,000	4	99	36,653	2.444	19,295	1.286	1,429,052	95.270	" " " "

* Short dated Treasury Bills.

† Not available.

No. 49.—PUBLIC DEBT PER HEAD OF POPULATION OF THE SEVERAL STATES on 30th JUNE, 1901 to 1914.

30th June.	N.S.W.	Victoria.	Queensland.	S. Aust.	W. Aust.	Tas.	All States.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1901 ...	49.467	41.622	76.484	73.298	67.400	49.568	53.726
1902 ...	51.539	42.224	79.083	75.923	72.644	52.305	55.719
1903 ...	54.955	42.720	79.740	77.605	70.960	51.311	57.271
1904 ...	55.614	43.133	79.935	79.274	68.363	51.802	57.785
1905 ...	55.390	42.966	78.882	79.147	67.197	51.660	57.698
1906 ...	56.933	43.779	77.731	82.003	70.770	53.535	58.739
1907 ...	55.487	43.315	76.799	82.321	75.236	54.164	58.258
1908 ...	55.794	43.066	76.010	78.550	79.343	54.532	58.185
1909 ...	56.559	43.405	77.381	77.776	83.304	53.555	58.930
1910 ...	56.619	43.464	74.365	78.697	85.878	55.691	58.988
1911 ...	57.780	43.693	72.282	82.735	82.355	58.693	59.524
1912 ...	57.589	44.850	74.240	69.924	86.920	59.480	59.250
1913 ...	58.742	45.150	81.680	69.520	96.420	59.100	61.325
1914 ...	62.889	46.506	80.320	76.595	106.251	62.340	64.520
Increase since 1901	13.422	4.884	3.836	3.297	38.851	12.772	10.794

No. 50.—ACCRUED PUBLIC DEBT SINKING FUNDS OF THE SEVERAL STATES on 30th JUNE, 1901 to 1914.

30th June.	N.S.W.	Victoria.	Q'land.	S. Aust.	W. Aust.	Tas.	Total
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1901 ...	386,383	208,284	...	32,879	429,227	169,546	1,226,319
1902 ...	655,796	389,782	...	35,480	486,737	206,257	1,774,052
1903 ...	775,208	313,295	...	117,338	655,069	180,257	2,041,167
1904 ...	894,621	320,957	...	114,476	864,752	200,385	2,395,191
1905 ...	439,034	315,554	...	133,149	1,073,844	214,171	2,175,752
1906 ...	566,484	938,011	...	251,349	1,320,603	236,297	3,312,744
1907 ...	482,737	832,988	...	531,466	1,600,044	261,431	3,708,666
1908 ...	223,001	629,490	...	1,050,812	1,904,433	304,633	4,112,369
1909 ...	405,648	727,021	...	1,426,318	2,233,385	357,419	4,149,788
1910 ...	331,308	851,085	...	650,100	2,569,707	374,806	4,777,006
1911 ...	504,921	1,017,866	...	616,956	2,888,035	414,601	5,442,379
1912 ...	653,981	1,131,531	15,000	561,550	2,918,733	420,972	5,701,767
1913 ...	381,893	1,226,667	51,347	299,567	3,309,345	496,031	5,764,850
1914 ...	391,349	1,439,511	100,056	1,608,265	3,692,103	553,676	7,784,960
Increase since 1901	4,966	1,231,227	100,056	1,575,386	3,262,876	384,130	6,558,641

**No. 51.—ANNUAL AMOUNT OF INTEREST PAYABLE ON THE PUBLIC DEBTS
OF THE SEVERAL STATES AS EXISTING ON THE 30th JUNE, 1901 to 1914.**

30th June.	N.S.W.	Victoria	Queensland.	S. Aust.	W. Aust.	Tas.	All States.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1901 ...	2,429,983	1,894,503	1,378,243	997,070	437,874	317,359	7,455,032
1902 ...	2,540,625	1,897,877	1,421,080	1,024,830	502,729	334,551	7,721,692
1903 ...	2,746,766	1,916,140	1,421,080	1,042,290	528,609	338,230	7,993,115
1904 ...	2,841,368	1,885,949	1,529,969	1,069,325	547,160	341,627	8,215,398
1905 ...	2,937,150	1,883,500	1,529,382	1,081,025	570,241	348,258	8,349,556
1906 ...	3,052,857	1,921,187	1,529,382	1,130,361	619,752	359,515	8,613,054
1907 ...	3,042,432	1,901,902	1,546,883	1,138,160	660,450	364,472	8,654,299
1908 ...	3,097,176	1,899,417	1,546,880	1,112,321	704,860	371,992	8,732,646
1909 ...	3,175,380	1,948,094	1,634,786	1,114,944	756,599	370,067	8,999,870
1910 ...	3,250,129	1,980,100	1,634,786	1,147,359	803,301	386,234	9,201,909
1911 ...	3,363,584	2,054,363	1,646,586	1,251,744	810,101	407,311	9,533,689
1912 ...	3,531,528	2,151,559	1,731,141	1,064,663	910,110	412,536	9,801,537
1913 ...	3,786,842	2,223,928	1,985,113	1,095,399	1,069,310	425,796	10,586,388
1914 ...	4,205,771	2,354,744	2,026,805	1,234,482	1,235,539	457,504	11,514,845
Increase since 1901	1,775,788	460,241	648,562	237,412	797,665	140,145	4,059,813

**No. 52.—AVERAGE RATES OF INTEREST PAYABLE ON THE PUBLIC DEBTS
OF THE SEVERAL STATES on 30th JUNE, 1901 to 1914.**

30th June.	N.S.W.	Victoria.	Queensland.	S. Aust.	W. Aust.	Tas.	All States.
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
1901 ...	3.608	3.749	3.735	3.770	3.445	3.729	3.682
1902 ...	3.549	3.726	3.709	3.754	3.364	3.678	3.639
1903 ...	3.536	3.725	3.709	3.743	3.383	3.665	3.631
1904 ...	3.551	3.639	3.706	3.740	3.401	3.666	3.617
1905 ...	3.568	3.639	3.706	3.757	3.426	3.677	3.627
1906 ...	3.565	3.619	3.706	3.758	3.432	3.668	3.620
1907 ...	3.554	3.581	3.704	3.735	3.436	3.673	3.605
1908 ...	3.534	3.563	3.704	3.710	3.439	3.665	3.589
1909 ...	3.517	3.564	3.692	3.663	3.447	3.651	3.575
1910 ...	3.513	3.563	3.692	3.655	3.450	3.654	3.572
1911 ...	3.522	3.543	3.691	3.657	3.418	3.677	3.569
1912 ...	3.529	3.543	3.675	3.616	3.463	3.650	3.567
1913 ...	3.567	3.542	3.703	3.633	3.532	3.704	3.595
1914 ...	3.604	3.561	3.716	3.677	3.590	3.730	3.626
Decrease since 1901	.004	.188	.019	.093	+.145	+.001	.056

Note.— + signifies increase.

No. 53.—CHEQUE-PAYING BANKS (Formerly Banks of Issue).

LIABILITIES IN THE COMMONWEALTH, 1901-1914.

Quarter ended 30th June.	Notes in Circulation	Bills in Circulation.	Balances due to Other Banks.	Deposits.			Total Liabilities
				Not bearing Interest.	Bearing Interest.	Total.	
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1901 ...	3,399,462	525,958	376,972	37,457,960	54,029,188	91,487,148	95,789,540
1908 ...	3,536,227	707,903	796,447	46,015,448	67,678,940	113,694,388	118,734,965
1909 ...	3,510,629	720,853	555,806	46,812,632	70,945,623	117,758,255	122,545,543
1910 ...	3,748,482	821,758	570,115	55,233,862	74,657,274	129,891,136	135,031,491
1911 ...	3,718,458	928,663	741,188	62,226,897	81,220,013	143,446,910	148,835,219
1912 ...	536,984	1,002,062	872,946	65,408,841	84,397,756	149,806,597	152,218,589
1913 (h) ...	368,975	894,095	2,492,229	62,012,773	87,814,795	149,827,568	153,582,867
1914 (h) ...	306,809	1,089,548	2,750,788	70,195,462	93,659,093	163,854,555	168,001,700
31st Dec. 1914 (h)	287,308	923,834	3,091,614	67,750,814	94,835,670	162,586,484	166,889,240

ASSETS IN THE COMMONWEALTH, 1901-1914.

Quarter ended 30th June.	Coin.	Bullion.	Australian Notes.	Land and Other Property.	Notes and Bills of Other Banks.	Balances due from Other Banks.	All Other Debts due to the Banks.	Total Assets.
	(a)							
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1901 ...	18,581,224	1,199,304		6,145,742	695,676	1,215,701	93,710,166	121,547,813
1908 ...	23,578,293	1,353,267		4,938,212	889,377	1,131,612	101,647,044 <i>b</i>	133,537,805
1909 ...	24,943,910	1,353,933		4,852,471	932,354	1,153,611	98,481,421 <i>c</i>	131,717,700
1910 ...	28,826,729	1,322,899		4,919,991	973,161	1,343,669	101,371,817 <i>d</i>	138,758,266
1911 ...	32,330,705	1,140,065	5,137,478	4,937,437	1,279,714	1,698,097	113,041,947 <i>e</i>	159,565,443
1912 ...	27,581,368	1,104,644	5,434,819	4,956,593	1,168,958	1,761,701	123,763,173 <i>f</i>	165,771,256
1913 (h) ...	30,133,187	1,118,879	4,853,709	4,983,882	1,333,780	3,211,812	118,919,665 <i>g</i>	164,554,914
1914 (h) ...	35,385,924	1,024,100	5,036,516	4,592,951	1,785,498	4,737,862	122,886,455 <i>h</i>	175,449,306
Dec. 31. 1914 (h)	34,077,215	1,060,010	8,791,983	5,038,391	1,638,749	3,630,596	129,526,586 <i>j</i>	183,763,530

a Including gold and silver bullion in Tasmanian banks prior to 1908. *b* Including £3,454,715 Government and municipal securities. *c* Including £3,085,058 Government and municipal securities. *d* Including £3,530,890 Government and municipal securities. *e* Including £4,187,717 Government and municipal securities. *f* Including £4,514,964 Government and municipal securities. *g* Includes £5,438,217 Government and municipal securities. *h* Includes statistics for the Commonwealth Bank. *i* Includes £7,377,245 Government and municipal securities. *j* Includes £8,333,915 Government and Municipal securities.

No. 54.—SAVINGS BANKS.

End of Year.	N.S.W.	Victoria.	Queensland.	S. Aust.	W. Aust.	Tasmania	Total.
1900-1	282,643	393,026	81,025	126,032	39,318	42,509	964,553
1907-8	421,928	511,581	100,324	*174,289	*72,178	55,620	1,335,920
1908-9	436,029	532,425	106,627	*187,482	*77,748	58,145	1,398,456
1909-10	460,251	560,515	114,720	*201,475	*86,166	60,646	1,483,573
1910-1	498,658	595,424	127,219	*216,480	*99,017	63,314	1,600,112
1911-2	544,023	641,736	139,091	*232,971	*111,078	67,105	1,736,004
1912-3†	619,224	*703,084	168,438	*251,963	*121,201	70,402	1,934,312
1913-4†	717,737	*748,652	201,163	*267,805	*131,798	76,650	2,143,805
Sept. 30 1914†	725,169	*755,636	209,510	*271,980	*136,639	77,327	2,176,261

AMOUNT ON DEPOSIT.

	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1900-1	10,901,382	9,662,006	3,896,170	3,795,631	1,618,359	1,009,097	30,882,645
1907-8	17,530,157	13,428,676	4,921,881	5,820,344	2,885,463	1,560,951	46,147,472
1908-9	18,805,082	14,101,710	5,158,219	6,347,271	3,059,738	1,605,919	49,077,939
1909-10	20,150,574	15,417,888	5,622,986	6,791,320	3,481,764	1,652,966	53,117,498
1910-1	22,453,924	17,274,423	6,376,969	7,435,772	4,092,504	1,760,090	59,393,682
1911-2	25,361,338	19,662,465	7,342,811	8,248,396	4,408,320	1,933,448	66,956,778
1912-3†	28,862,592	22,232,196	8,668,284	8,766,182	4,682,738	2,036,211	75,248,203
1913-4†	33,167,523	24,533,519	9,944,069	9,366,491	4,808,314	2,185,098	84,005,014
Sept. 30 1914†	33,243,467	24,799,008	10,577,374	9,352,499	4,886,106	2,188,764	85,047,218

* Including depositors in Penny Savings Banks. † Includes Commonwealth Savings Bank.

AVERAGE PER DEPOSITOR.

End of Year.	N.S.W.			Victoria.			Queensland.			S. Aust.			W. Aust.			Tasmania.			Total.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
1900-1	38	11	5	24	11	8	48	1	9	30	2	4	41	3	3	23	14	9	32	0	4
1907-8	41	10	11	26	5	0	49	1	2	33	7	11	39	19	6	28	1	4	34	10	10
1908-9	43	11	2	26	9	9	48	7	6	33	17	1	39	7	1	27	12	5	35	4	1
1909-10	43	15	8	27	10	1	49	0	4	33	14	10	40	8	2	27	5	1	35	16	1
1910-1	45	0	7	29	0	3	50	2	6	34	7	0	41	6	7	27	16	0	37	2	4
1911-2	46	12	4	30	12	9	52	15	10	35	8	1	39	13	9	28	16	3	38	11	4
1912-2*	46	12	2	31	12	5	51	9	3	34	15	10	38	12	9	28	18	4	38	18	0
1913-4*	46	4	3	32	15	5	49	8	8	34	19	6	36	9	8	28	10	2	39	3	8
Sept. 30 1914*	45	16	10	32	16	5	50	9	9	34	7	9	35	15	2	28	6	1	39	1	7

AVERAGE PER INHABITANT.

	8	0	3	8	0	6	7	15	2	10	10	0	8	11	3	5	16	9	8	3	0
1900-1	8	0	3	8	0	6	7	15	2	10	10	0	8	11	3	5	16	9	8	3	0
1907-8	11	4	6	10	17	10	9	0	4	15	8	5	11	6	9	8	4	8	11	1	9
1908-9	11	17	5	11	5	6	9	5	2	16	6	0	11	15	8	8	7	6	11	11	11
1909-10	12	9	8	12	1	6	9	14	7	17	2	8	13	2	1	8	11	2	12	5	8
1910-1	13	13	2	13	5	6	10	12	11	18	2	7	14	15	8	9	1	9	13	8	5
1911-2	14	11	7	14	10	5	11	11	8	19	8	11	14	11	7	10	3	6	14	8	4
1912-3*	15	19	0	15	19	10	13	4	2	20	4	3	14	17	8	10	9	4	15	13	4
1913-4*	17	17	6	17	5	1	14	12	8	21	7	6	14	16	10	11	3	1	17	1	4
Sept. 30 1914*	17	17	0	17	6	7	15	9	6	21	3	1	14	19	7	11	1	11	17	3	8

* Includes Commonwealth Savings Bank

No. 55.—COMMONWEALTH SAVINGS BANK.

	30th June, 1913.		30th June, 1914.		30th Sept., 1914.	
	No. of Depositors.	Amount at Credit of Depositors.	No. of Depositors.	Amount at Credit of Depositors.	No. of Depositors.	Amount at Credit of Depositors.
		£		£		£
New South Wales	15,351	490,586	37,677	1,171,255	43,377	1,408,890
Victoria ..	17,602	666,275	30,371	1,151,823	33,583	1,362,817
Queensland ..	13,481	455,167	24,202	815,947	27,623	942,848
South Australia	3,544	129,931	7,965	317,135	9,096	389,627
Western Australia	4,114	112,359	10,111	277,956	11,618	326,318
Tasmania ..	29,107	820,442	32,392	885,379	33,069	889,045
Northern Territory	228	13,151	292	18,709	337	21,923
Papua ..	46	2,238	133	7,064	137	8,244
London ..	85	3,822
Total ..	83,558	2,693,971	143,143	4 645,268	158,840	5,349,712

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Section V.—Railways.

No. 56.—PARTICULARS OF WORKING.

RAILWAYS (GOVERNMENT AND PRIVATE) OPEN FOR TRAFFIC, 1901-14.

NOTE.—The mileage of Government railways is shown by figures not in brackets; that of private lines is shown in brackets.

—	1900-1.	1909-10.	1910-11.	1911-12.	1912-13.	1913-14.
Commonwealth ...	...	...	(b) 145 (—)	(b) 145 (—)	(b) 145 (—)	146 (—)
New South Wales ...	2,846 (80)	3,641 (266)	3,758 (266)	3,832 (267)	3,930 (262)	3,968 (262)
Victoria ...	3,237 (a)	3,491 (51)	3,523 (51)	3,622 (51)	3,647 (51)	3,835 (51)
Queensland ...	2,801 (146)	3,661 (544)	3,868 (522)	4,123 (510)	4,381 (512)	4,570 (512)
South Australia ...	1,881 (a)	2,057 (34)	1,935 (34)	1,939 (34)	2,168 (34)	2,323 (34)
Western Australia ...	1,355 (629)	2,145 (842)	2,376 (832)	2,598 (832)	2,854 (974)	2,967 (974)
Tasmania ...	458 (143)	469 (204)	470 (205)	496 (205)	507 (222)	519 (222)
Total ...	12,578 (a)	15,464 (1,941)	16,075 (1,910)	16,755 (1,899)	17,632 (2,055)	18,328 (2,055)
Private—						
For general traffic	(a)	936	1,099	1,088	1,003	1,103
„ private „	(a)	1,005	811	811	952	952
Grand total ...	—	17,405	17,985	18,654	19,687	20,333

(a) Not available. (b) Pine Creek to Palmerston line (Northern Territory); the Port Augusta to Oodnadatta line, though the property of the Commonwealth Government, is still worked by the Government of South Australia, and is included in the lines of that State. (c) For the year 1912-13.

GOVERNMENT RAILWAYS—YEAR ENDED 30TH JUNE, 1914.

Government.	Gross Earnings.	Working Expenses.	Net Earnings.		Cost of Construction and Eq'pm't.	Net Earnings per cent. to Capital.
			Amount.	Per Train Mile.		
	£	£	£	s. d.	£1,000	£
Commonwealth *	17,566	16,643	923	0 7	1,041	0.08
New South Wales	7,742,241	5,409,820	2,332,421	2 3	60,128	3.88
Victoria ...	5,560,958	3,865,498	1,695,460	2 3	49,217	3.44
Queensland ...	3,660,022	2,371,261	1,288,761	2 3	31,818	4.05
South Australia ...	2,413,568	1,591,867	821,701	2 4	16,381	5.02
Western Australia	2,257,011	1,572,008	685,003	2 6	15,874	4.32
Tasmania ...	330,168	222,713	107,455	2 2	4,497	2.39
Total ...	21,981,534	15,049,810	6,931,724	2 3	178,956	3.87

AVERAGE MILES WORKED.

	1900-1.	1908-9.	1909-10.	1910-11.	1911-12.	1912-13.	1913-14.
Commonwealth*	...	...	...	145	145	145	146
New South Wales	2,818	3,559	3,623	3,710	3,799	3,872	3,959
Victoria ...	3,228	3,397	3,441	3,505	3,543	3,639	3,747
Queensland ...	2,801	3,444	3,533	3,795	4,001	4,208	4,507
South Australia...	1,882	2,027	2,038	1,915	1,938	2,012	2,293
Western Australia	1,355	1,971	2,102	2,286	2,471	2,783	2,910
Tasmania ...	460	470	474	478	503	508	525
Total ...	12,544	14,868	15,211	15,834	16,400	17,167	18,087

* For year ended 31st December, 1913.

PARTICULARS OF WORKING (Continued).

	1900-1.	1909-10.	1910-11.	1911-12.	1912-13.	1913-14.
TRAIN MILES RUN—THOUSANDS.						
Commonwealth ...	...	...	30	30	31	30
New South Wales ...	10,764	15,468	17,007	18,521	19,184	20,550
Victoria ...	11,066	11,706	12,973	13,837	14,235	15,029
Queensland ...	5,815	8,157	9,367	10,327	11,464	11,346
South Australia ...	4,423	5,451	5,946	6,244	6,625	7,027
Western Australia ...	4,126	4,398	4,963	5,227	5,623	5,565
Tasmania ...	896	1,060	1,041	1,047	1,006	1,001
Total ...	37,090	46,240	51,327	55,233	58,168	60,548

GROSS EARNINGS.

	£1000	£1000	£1000	£1000	£1000	£1000
Commonwealth ...	...	...	12	12	15	18
New South Wales ...	3,574	5,486	6,042	6,491	6,749	7,742
Victoria ...	3,338	4,444	4,896	5,219	5,205	5,561
Queensland ...	1,317	2,338	2,731	3,033	3,322	3,660
South Australia ...	1,250	1,853	2,045	2,148	2,298	2,414
Western Australia ...	1,353	1,637	1,844	1,885	2,038	2,257
Tasmania ...	206	284	278	313	327	330
Total ...	11,038	16,042	17,848	19,101	19,954	21,982

WORKING EXPENSES.

	£1000	£1000	£1000	£1000	£1000	£1000
Commonwealth ...	...	...	13	14	14	17
New South Wales ...	2,043	3,276	3,691	4,170	4,645	5,410
Victoria ...	2,075	2,818	3,099	3,442	3,589	3,865
Queensland ...	1,058	1,414	1,563	1,917	2,151	2,371
South Australia ...	754	1,082	1,256	1,363	1,472	1,592
Western Australia ...	1,045	1,097	1,216	1,344	1,507	1,572
Tasmania ...	174	212	216	221	217	223
Total ...	7,149	9,899	11,054	12,471	13,595	15,050

NET EARNINGS.

	£1000	£1000	£1000	£1000	£1000	£1000
Commonwealth ...	...	...	—1	—2	1	1
New South Wales ...	1,531	2,209	2,351	2,321	2,104	2,332
Victoria ...	1,262	1,626	1,797	1,777	1,616	1,696
Queensland ...	259	924	1,167	1,116	1,171	1,289
South Australia ...	496	771	789	785	826	822
Western Australia ...	309	541	628	541	531	685
Tasmania ...	32	72	62	92	110	107
Total ...	3,889	6,143	6,793	6,630	6,359	6,932

PARTICULARS OF WORKING (Continued).

	1900-1.	1909-10.	1910-11.	1911-12.	1912-13.	1913-14.
NET EARNINGS PER CENT. TO CAPITAL COST.						
Commonwealth ...	£ ...	£ 0.02	£ -0.15	£ -0.20	£ 0.08	£ 0.08
New South Wales ...	3.74	4.52	4.62	4.37	3.69	3.88
Victoria ...	3.14	3.77	4.07	3.88	3.40	3.44
Queensland ...	1.31	3.80	4.51	3.95	3.93	4.05
South Australia ...	4.01	5.56	5.49	5.26	5.00	5.02
Western Australia ...	4.35	4.75	5.22	4.09	3.56	4.32
Tasmania ...	0.85	1.79	1.53	2.15	2.49	2.39
Total ...	3.09	4.19	4.43	4.14	3.71	3.87

No. 57.—STATE GOVERNMENT RAILWAYS.

QUARTER ENDED 30TH SEPTEMBER, 1913.

	N.S.W.	Vict.	Q'land.*	S.A.†	W.A.	Tas.	Total.
Miles open ...	3,966	3,706	4,603		2,895	519	
Revenue—							
Coaching (Passengers, Parcels, Mails, etc.) ...	£ 705,679	642,425	286,310		154,005	31,694	
Goods, including Live Stock and Minerals ...	£ 1,128,277	544,265	649,831		318,041	36,177	
Miscellaneous ...	£ ...	22,133	17,136		31,384	2,541	
Total Revenue ...	£ 1,833,956	1,208,823	953,277	575,400	503,430	70,412	5,145,298
Expenditure ...	£ 1,327,981	934,897	536,782	398,100	388,799	54,081	3,640,640
Train miles run ...	5,134,901	3,516,018	3,171,004	1,734,580	1,380,872	247,029	15,184,404
Earnings per train mile ...	7s. 2d.	6s. 11d.	6s. 0d.	6s. 8d.	7s. 4d.	5s. 8d.	6s. 9d.
Expenditure per train mile ...	5s. 2d.	5s. 4d.	3s. 4d.	4s. 7d.	5s. 8d.	4s. 5d.	4s. 10d.
Expenditure per cent. to Earnings ...	72.41	77.34	56.31	69.18	77.23	76.80	70.76
Passengers carried ...	No. 20,486,565	28,391,674	5,459,376		4,547,546	364,114	
Coal and Coke carried ...	tons 1,976,248	111,887	216,820		124,183		
Other Minerals carried ...	tons 185,312	405	181,742		108,938	50,793	
Live Stock carried ...	tons 151,713	95,486	114,995		15,730	4,095	
Other Goods carried ...	tons 942,617	1,056,874	767,603		590,873	57,766	
Total Freight carried ...	tons 3,255,890	1,264,652	1,281,160		839,724	112,654	

QUARTER ENDED 30TH SEPTEMBER, 1914.

	4,010	3,840	4,647		3,004	519	
Miles open ...	4,010	3,840	4,647		3,004	519	
Revenue—							
Coaching (Passengers, Parcels, Mails, etc.) ...	£ 794,459	663,106	318,057		152,741	31,846	
Goods, including Live Stock and Minerals ...	£ 1,098,650	556,362	631,564		362,300	36,918	
Miscellaneous ...	£ ...	22,412	16,562		31,978	2,276	
Total Revenue ...	£ 1,893,109	1,241,880	966,183	450,600	547,019	71,040	5,169,831
Expenditure ...	£ 1,422,458	1,015,203	627,359	375,300	395,139	55,875	3,891,334
Train miles run ...	5,211,511	3,747,622	3,092,514	1,509,395	1,419,160	250,160	15,230,362
Earnings per train mile ...	7s. 3d.	6s. 8d.	6s. 3d.	6s. 0d.	7s. 9d.	5s. 8d.	6s. 9d.
Expenditure per train mile ...	5s. 5d.	5s. 5d.	4s. 1d.	5s. 0d.	5s. 7d.	4s. 6d.	5s. 1d.
Expenditure per cent. to Earnings ...	75.14	81.75	64.93	83.28	72.22	78.65	75.27
Passengers carried ...	No. 21,726,433	29,593,256	6,090,828		4,628,152	377,274	
Coal and Coke carried ...	tons 1,880,350	108,177	214,857		122,853		
Other Minerals carried ...	tons 215,563	269	171,079		127,561	31,214	
Live Stock carried ...	tons 180,780	141,248	133,989		13,066	4,319	
Other Goods carried ...	tons 903,585	1,064,981	749,810		568,729	68,516	
Total Freight carried ...	tons 3,180,278	1,314,675	1,269,735		832,209	104,049	

* Excluding, from July 1914, Etheridge Railway (143 miles) formerly included.
Augusta-Oodnadatta line (478 miles) not included.

† The Port

Section VI.—Defence.

No. 57.—UNIVERSAL (MILITARY) TRAINING TO 31st DECEMBER, 1914.

JUNIOR CADETS. (QUOTAS 1901 and 1902).

Military District.	Total Number Medically Examined.	Medically Fit.		Unfit and Temporarily Unfit.	
		Number.	Per cent. of Examinees	Number.	Per cent. of Examinees
1st Queensland ...	6,293	6,097	96.8	196	3.2
2nd New South Wales ...	18,414	17,945	97.5	469	2.5
3rd Victoria ...	15,246	15,057	98.7	189	1.3
4th South Australia ...	4,191	4,102	97.9	89	2.1
5th Western Australia ...	2,613	2,540	97.2	73	2.8
6th Tasmania ...	1,529	1,495	97.8	34	2.2
Commonwealth ...	48,286	47,236	97.8	1,050	2.2

SENIOR CADETS.

Military District.	Registrations in Training Areas.				
	Quota 1897.	Quota 1898.	Quota 1899.	Quota 1900.	Total.
1st Queensland ...	6,500	5,698	5,820	5,434	23,452
2nd New South Wales ...	13,932	12,048	12,315	12,387	50,682
3rd Victoria ...	11,669	10,741	10,639	11,002	44,051
4th South Australia ...	3,479	3,207	3,442	3,360	13,488
5th Western Australia ...	1,906	2,007	2,227	2,031	8,171
6th Tasmania ...	1,716	1,493	1,510	1,482	6,201
Commonwealth ...	39,202	35,194	35,953	35,696	146,045

SENIOR CADETS—continued.

Military District.	Number Medically Examined.	Medically Fit.		Exemptions Granted in Training Areas.	Number Remain- ing to be Examined or Exempt.	Total Number Liable for Training.	Total Number Actually in Training.
		Number.	Per cent. of Ex- aminees.				
1st Queensland	13,963	11,888	85.1	11,471	93	11,888	11,838
2nd N. S. Wales	36,315	32,414	89.3	18,039	229	32,414	31,575
3rd Victoria ...	31,590	27,966	88.5	15,850	235	27,966	27,681
4th S. Australia	9,783	8,592	87.8	4,817	79	8,592	8,560
5th W. Australia	5,536	4,935	89.2	2,965	271	4,935	4,834
6th Tasmania ...	3,512	2,979	84.8	3,038	184	2,979	2,866
Commonwealth	100,699	88,774	88.2	56,180	1,091	88,774	87,354

REGISTRATIONS, &C., FOR TRAINING IN CITIZEN FORCES.

Military District.	Total Registrations in Training Areas.				Exemptions Granted.	No. Liable for Training.
	1894 Quota.	1895 Quota.	1896 Quota.	Total.		
1st Queensland ...	5,632	6,173	6,304	18,109	11,532	6,481
2nd New South Wales ...	12,709	13,415	12,934	39,058	19,774	18,681
3rd Victoria ...	10,754	11,557	11,893	34,204	17,247	16,612
4th South Australia...	3,439	3,704	3,709	10,852	5,190	5,604
5th Western Australia ...	1,629	1,859	1,906	5,394	2,783	2,574
6th Tasmania ...	632	669	1,637	2,938	1,430	1,413
Commonwealth ...	34,795	37,377	33,383	110,555	57,956	51,365

No. 58—PROSECUTIONS FOR QUARTER ENDED 31st DECEMBER, 1914.

*CITIZEN FORCES.

NATURE OF OFFENCE.	MILITARY DISTRICT.						
	1st. Q'land.	2nd. N.S.W.	3rd. Vic.	4th. S. Aust.	5th. W.A.	6th. Tas.	C'wlth
Failure to attend Medical Examination							
Prosecutions .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Convictions .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Evasion of Personal Service—							
Prosecutions	1	..	55	..	..	..	56
Convictions	1	..	51	..	..	..	52
Absence from Compulsory Drills—							
Prosecutions	7	..	53	..	..	4	64
Convictions	7	..	38	..	..	..	45
Disciplinary and other Offences—							
Prosecutions .. .. .	..	..	3	..	..	..	3
Convictions .. .. .	..	..	1	..	..	..	1
Failure to Return to Custody—							
Prosecutions .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Convictions .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
TOTAL PROSECUTIONS	8	..	111	..	..	4	123
TOTAL CONVICTIONS	8	..	90	..	..	..	98

SENIOR CADETS.

Neglect to Register—							
Prosecutions .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Convictions .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Failure to attend Medical Examination							
Prosecutions .. .. .	..	..	1	..	..	..	1
Convictions .. .. .	..	..	1	..	..	..	1
Evasion of Personal Service—							
Prosecutions	9	34	183	9	6	114	355
Convictions	9	34	167	9	5	90	314
Absence from Compulsory Drills—							
Prosecutions	88	35	212	19	19	42	415
Convictions	83	35	183	17	19	34	371
Disciplinary and other Offences—							
Prosecutions	4	6	55	19	9	2	95
Convictions	4	6	54	18	9	1	92
Failure to Return to Custody—							
Prosecutions	1	..	19	..	..	..	20
Convictions	1	..	18	..	..	..	19
TOTAL PROSECUTIONS	102	75	470	47	34	158	886
TOTAL CONVICTIONS	97	75	423	44	33	125	797

Section VII.—Labour and Industrial Statistics.

No. 59.—TRADE UNIONS.—Number of Unions and Membership in Industrial Groups in Each State at end of year 1913.

Industrial Groups.	N.S.W.	Vic.	Q'ld.	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	Total.
NUMBER OF UNIONS.							
I. Wood, Furniture, etc. ..	3	4	3	4	4	2	20
II. Engineering, Metal Works, etc. ..	17	22	11	12	12	5	79
III. Food, Drink, Tobacco, etc. ..	21	17	6	9	12	7	72
IV. Clothing, Hats, Boots, etc. ..	10	10	3	4	3	2	32
V. Books, Printing, etc. ..	9	9	3	2	6	2	31
VI. Other Manufacturing ..	26	21	6	12	9	5	79
VII. Building ..	17	15	10	7	10	5	64
VIII. Mining, Quarries, etc. ..	15	3	1	2	3	2	26
IX. Railway and Tramway Services ..	8	4	10	3	6	4	35
X. Other Land Transport ..	10	6	4	2	4	2	28
XI. Shipping, etc. ..	15	8	17	8	7	7	62
XII. Pastoral, Agricultural, etc. ..	4	4	2	1	2	1	14
XIII. Domestic, Hotels, etc. ..	8	5	1	2	7	2	25
XIV. Miscellaneous ..	38	34	17	18	22	14	143
Total	201	162	94	86	107	60	710

NUMBER OF MEMBERS.							
I. Wood, Furniture, etc. ..	6,794	5,084	1,645	1,262	4,138	*	18,923†
II. Engineering, Metal Works, etc. ..	17,401	12,333	2,891	3,992	2,119	409	39,145
III. Food, Drink, Tobacco, etc. ..	14,457	10,070	4,481	2,234	1,517	613	33,372
IV. Clothing, Hats, Boots, etc. ..	7,040	8,111	1,284	970	464	*	17,869†
V. Books, Printing, etc. ..	4,101	3,437	512	*	426	*	9,318
VI. Other Manufacturing ..	13,787	8,663	625	1,785	1,979	171	27,010
VII. Building ..	13,268	10,096	2,848	2,624	2,274	434	31,544
VIII. Mines, Quarries, etc. ..	23,430	3,871	*	*	5,972	*	40,449
IX. Railway and Tramway Services ..	39,163	13,468	3,809	3,722	5,068	1,093	66,323
X. Other Land Transport ..	7,094	6,251	2,417	*	683	*	18,369
XI. Shipping, etc. ..	18,324	10,685	4,890	4,768	1,563	683	40,913
XII. Pastoral, Agricultural, etc. ..	22,618	14,626	*	*	*	*	51,696
XIII. Domestic, Hotels, etc. ..	7,012	3,698	*	*	1,560	*	13,416
XIV. Miscellaneous ..	36,188	19,783	16,000	8,397	7,554||	1,627	89,549||
Total	230,677	130,176	51,683	40,061	35,317	10,011	497,925

* Not available for publication separately. † Incomplete, see footnote *. || Includes membership of Industrial Group XII. in Western Australia.

No. 60.—UNEMPLOYMENT.—Number of Unions and Members Reporting, and Number and Percentage Unemployed, 1909 to 1914.

Particulars.	1909.	1910.	1911.	1912.*	* 4th Quar. 1913.	* 1st Quar. 1914.	* 2nd Quar. 1914.	* 3rd Quar. 1914.	† Sept.	† Oct.	† Nov.
Number of Unions Reporting.											
Unions ..	84	109	160	464	465	462	467	466	409	406	439
Members ..	21,122	32,995	67,961	224,023	251,027	262,133	279,318	283,584	232,032	234,500	250,716
Unemployed.											
Number ..	1,223	1,857	3,171	12,441	13,430	15,541	15,856	30,367	29,842	26,266	27,610
Percentage ..	5.8	5.6	4.7	5.5	5.3	5.9	5.7	10.7	12.7	11.2	11.0

* Results prepared on a different basis from previous years. † Monthly return.

No. 61.—CHANGES IN RATES OF WAGES.—Number of Changes, Persons Affected and Aggregate Amount of Increase per week, and Average Increase per head per week, in each State—July to September, 1914.

PARTICULARS.	N.S.W.	Victoria.	Queensland.	South Aust.	West. Aust.	Tasmania.	COMMONWEALTH.			
							3rd Quarter 1914.	2nd Quarter 1914.	1st Quarter 1914.	3rd Quarter 1913.
No. of Changes*	38	16	10	5	8	4	82	121	81	58
No. of Persons Affected ..	9,760	9,304	4,325	1,991	2,246	733	28,749	49,373	24,953	45,069
Total Amount of Increase per week £	1,978	1,748	1,085	922	627	181	6,684	13,327	5,395	9,242
Average Increase per Head per week	4s. 1d.	3s. 9d.	5s. 0d.	9s. 3d.	5s. 7d.	4s. 11d.	4s. 8d.	5s. 5d.	4s. 4d.	4s. 1d.

* Industrial Awards and Agreements under the Commonwealth Conciliation and Arbitration Act, if operative in more than one State, are counted as a separate change in each such State.

No. 62.—INDUSTRIAL DISPUTES.—Number and Magnitude of Industrial Disputes in each State and Territory, July to September, 1914.

State or Territory.	No. of New Disputes.	No. of Establishments Involved in New Disputes.	No. of Workpeople involved in New Disputes.			No. of Working Days lost.			Total Estimated Loss in Wages.*
			Directly	Indirectly.	Total.	New Disputes	Old Disputes	Total.	
New South Wales	49	60	5,421	3,650	9,071	26,935	170,907	197,842	£ 99,497
Victoria	8	8	410	490	900	6,091	3,150	9,241	4,154
Queensland ..	2	2	474	2	476	5,206	5,564	10,770	4,873
South Australia ..	2	2	71	20	91	215	195	410	185
Western Australia	2	2	90	2	92	214	7,560	7,774	5,328
Tasmania .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Commonwealth—									
3rd Quarter, 1914	63	74	6,466	4,164	10,630	38,661	187,376	226,037	114,037
2nd Quarter, 1914	83	233	8,125	8,734	16,859	261,741	44,654	306,395	156,415
1st Quarter, 1914	113	818	18,778	10,009	28,787	228,097	32,054	260,151	130,392
3rd Quarter, 1913	60	351	6,734	4,939	11,673	80,249	58,570	138,819	58,163

* Total loss during the quarter for all disputes—new and old.

No. 63.—Variations in Nominal Wage Index-Numbers in different States, 1891 to 1913. (Weighted Average Wage for Commonwealth in 1911 = 1,000.)

Particulars.	No. of Occupations included.		1891	1896.	1901.	1906.	1907.	1908.	1909.	1910.	1911.	1912.	1913.
	1891 to 1912.	1913.											
New South Wales	158	874	861	821	858	886	910	913	942	968	1,003	1,058	1,088
Victoria	150	909	789	757	796	807	857	871	887	924	985	1,038	1,058
Queensland ..	87	627	908	872	901	909	914	925	946	960	997	1,010	1,027
South Australia ..	134	567	811	813	819	832	858	868	905	951	1,013	1,048	1,061
Western Australia	69	489	1,022	1,046	1,052	1,053	1,053	1,061	1,068	1,116	1,152	1,191	1,214
Tasmania	54	482	751	682	719	749	725	725	732	772	799	934	1,025
Commonwealth*	652	3,948	848	816	848	866	893	900	923	955	1,000	1,051	1,076

* Weighted Average ; see note to following table.

No. 64.—Variations in Nominal Wage Index-Numbers in different Industries in the Commonwealth, 1891 to 1913. (Weighted Average Wage for all Groups in 1911 = 1,000.)

Particulars.	No. of Occupations included.		1891	1896.	1901.	1906.	1907.	1908.	1909.	1910.	1911.	1912.	1913.
	1891 to 1912.	1913.											
I. Wood, Furniture, etc.	27	270	1,023	939	1,019	1,024	1,049	1,051	1,055	1,097	1,125	1,144	1,142
II. Engineering, Metal Works, etc.	101	636	931	929	945	957	971	989	995	1,006	1,064	1,104	1,113
III. Food, Drink, etc.	34	576	745	741	871	887	902	905	914	928	991	1,038	1,074
IV. Clothing, Hats, Boots, etc.	13	124	716	711	708	841	856	867	935	976	981	990	1,019
V. Books, Printing, etc.	25	205	1,043	977	996	1,002	1,010	1,021	1,070	1,102	1,149	1,188	1,234
VI. Other Manufacturing	102	875	904	872	907	906	905	915	923	947	1,013	1,037	1,076
VII. Building	67	190	986	926	1,050	1,070	1,105	1,114	1,130	1,163	1,213	1,245	1,270
VIII. Mining, Quarries, etc.	71	161	1,134	1,051	1,067	1,093	1,117	1,116	1,120	1,168	1,194	1,216	1,270
IX. Rail and Tram Services	68	224	992	995	1,021	1,024	1,027	1,031	1,064	1,074	1,113	1,164	1,165
X. Other Land Transport	9	70	772	703	795	795	813	836	836	889	910	993	996
XI. Shipping, etc.	74	198	745	673	751	778	787	787	856	857	871	942	953
XII. Agricultural, Pastoral, etc.	8	72	680	654	627	671	730	736	787	798	839	944	965
XIII. Domestic, Hotels, etc.	17	114	641	595	598	606	608	626	727	743	887	894	918
XIV. Miscellaneous	36	233	773	754	759	771	812	820	843	889	929	1,015	1,045
All Groups*	652	3,948	848	816	848	866	893	900	923	955	1,000	1,051	1,076

* Weighted Average.

NOTE.—In the above and preceding tables, the weighted average wage in 1911 for all States or industries, as the case may be, is taken as base (= 1000). The index-numbers are therefore comparable in all respects, that is to say, they shew not only the variations in wages from year to year in each State or industrial group, but they also furnish comparisons as to the relative wages in each State or industry, either in any particular year, or as between one year and another, and one State or industry and another.

No. 65.—PURCHASING-POWER OF MONEY.—Amounts necessary on the Average in each Year from 1901 to 1914 to purchase in each Capital Town what would have cost on the Average £1 in 1911 in the Australian Capitals regarded as a whole.

Year.			Sydney.		Melb'rne		Brisbane.		Adelaide.		Perth.		Hobart.		Weighted Average of 6 Capital Towns	
			s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.
1901	...	...	17	10	17	5	15	5	17	3	20	6	17	5	17	7
1902	...	...	19	7	18	1	16	0	17	3	21	7	17	10	18	7
1903	...	...	19	2	17	7	15	9	16	9	21	8	17	11	18	2
1904	...	...	17	5	17	1	14	8	16	3	20	10	17	1	17	2
1905	...	...	18	9	17	7	15	5	17	6	20	11	17	9	18	0
1906	...	...	18	8	17	7	15	7	17	10	20	5	18	0	18	0
1907	...	...	18	6	17	6	15	11	17	11	19	9	17	9	17	11
1908	...	...	19	9	18	6	17	1	19	1	20	0	18	5	19	0
1909	...	...	19	9	18	1	17	0	19	10	19	9	19	0	19	0
1910	...	...	19	11	18	10	17	6	20	2	20	6	19	0	19	5
1911	...	...	20	7	19	0	18	4	21	2	22	6	19	1	20	0*
1912	...	...	22	11	21	1	19	7	23	2	23	1	20	10	22	0
1913	...	...	23	7	21	0	19	5	22	5	22	6	21	1	22	1
1914	...	...	24	1	22	1	19	11	22	10	22	10	21	10	22	10
1912	1st Quarter		21	4	19	9	19	6	22	6	22	4	19	7	20	9
	2nd "		22	5	20	10	19	6	23	2	23	8	20	2	21	9
	3rd "		24	1	22	1	19	8	23	8	23	6	21	5	22	11
	4th "		23	10	21	8	19	8	23	3	22	10	22	2	22	7
1913	1st "		23	5	21	0	19	1	22	8	22	6	21	1	22	0
	2nd "		23	10	21	2	19	7	22	11	22	11	21	3	22	4
	3rd "		23	6	21	1	19	4	22	4	22	4	21	1	22	1
	4th "		23	6	20	10	19	6	21	10	22	5	20	10	21	11
1914	1st "		24	0	21	4	19	7	22	4	22	3	21	1	22	4
	2nd "		24	3	22	7	19	9	23	6	22	10	22	0	23	1
	3rd "		24	2	22	5	20	1	23	2	23	3	21	10	23	0
	4th "		24	1	22	1	20	4	22	5	23	0	22	3	22	10

* Basis of Table.

Miscellaneous.

No. 66.—NUMBER OF ELECTORS ON ROLLS FOR EACH STATE ON POLLING DAY.

THE SENATE ELECTION, 5TH SEPTEMBER, 1914.

STATE.	Electors Enrolled.			Electors to whom Ballot-papers were Issued.			Percentage of No. of Electors to whom Ballot-papers were Issued—to No. of Names Enrolled.		
	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Fe-males.	Total
N.S. Wales	576,309	506,820	1,083,129	407,464	294,939	702,403	70.70	58.19	64.85
Victoria ..	401,055	413,685	814,740	335,057	309,841	644,898	83.54	74.90	79.15
Queensland	207,587	160,620	368,207	163,709	112,695	276,404	78.86	70.16	75.07
S. Australia	131,758	125,595	257,353	110,049	96,195	206,244	83.52	76.59	80.14
W. Australia	107,005	75,102	182,107	79,150	50,984	130,134	73.97	67.89	71.46
Tasmania ..	54,754	51,225	105,979	44,504	37,749	82,253	81.28	73.69	77.61
Total of C'wealth	1,478,468	1,333,047	2,811,515	1,139,933	902,403	2,042,336	77.10	67.69	72.64

No. 67.—NUMBER OF INCOME-TAXPAYERS AND AMOUNT OF NET INCOME IN VICTORIA, 1894—1912, based upon Victorian Income Tax Returns, also Index Numbers of Incomes and Wages in Victoria for same period.

Year in which Income was Earned.	Distinct Taxpayers Paying Tax in following Year.	Total Net Income for Year. £	Average Net Income per Taxpayer for Year. £	Index Number taking 1911 Income as 1,000.	Index Number of Wages in Victoria, taking 1911 as 1,000. (a).
1894	31,120	12,114,100	389	608	—
5	27,306	10,741,567	393	614	—
6	26,266	10,565,500	402	628	768
7	33,051	10,739,200	325	508	—
8	33,577	12,055,900	359	561	—
9	34,377	14,025,100	408	637	—
1900	37,803	14,672,100	388	606	—
1	39,215	15,071,800	385	602	808
2	38,258 (b)	15,584,500 (b)	407	636	—
3	37,301 (b)	17,205,509 (b)	461	720	—
4	36,344 (b)	18,486,060 (b)	509	795	—
5	35,387 (b)	18,233,862 (b)	515	805	—
6	34,429	19,823,898	576	900	819
7	35,464	21,172,008	597	933	870
8	35,902	20,129,084	560	875	834
9	39,532	22,828,601	577	901	900
1910	37,618	23,281,292	619	967	938
1	40,527	25,942,122	640	1,000	1,000
2	42,399	27,319,581	644	1,006	1,054

(a) See Report No 2, Labour and Industrial Branch, p. 26.

(b) Estimated number and amount for taxpayers with incomes above £200. In these four years the income-tax limits were respectively £125, £150, £156, and £156.

No. 68.—STATISTICAL SUMMARY FOR THE COMMONWEALTH, 1861-1913.

Heading.	Years.						
	1861.	1871.	1881.	1891.	1901.	1911.	1913.**
Population { Males	669,373	928,918	1,247,059	1,736,617	2,004,836	2,377,920	2,536,530
Population { Females	498,776	771,970	1,059,677	1,504,368	1,820,077	2,190,787	2,335,529
Population { Total	1,168,149	1,700,888	2,306,736	3,240,985	3,824,913	4,568,707	4,872,059
Births ... { No.	48,908	63,625	80,004	110,187	102,945	122,193	135,714
Births ... { Rate	42.28	38.00	35.26	34.47	27.16	27.21	28.25
Deaths ... { No.	20,061	22,175	33,327	47,430	46,330	47,869	51,789
Deaths ... { Rate	17.34	13.24	14.69	14.84	12.22	10.66	10.78
Marriages { No.	10,000	11,623	17,244	23,862	27,753	39,482	41,594
Marriages { Rate	8.64	6.94	7.60	7.47	7.32	8.79	8.67
Agriculture—							
Wheat ... { Area, acs.	704,431	1,279,778	3,002,064	3,335,528	5,115,965	7,427,834	9,287,398
Wheat ... { Yld., bshl	10,236,549	11,917,741	21,443,862	25,675,265	38,561,619	71,636,347	103,344,132
Wheat ... { Av. "	14.53	9.31	7.14	7.70	7.54	9.64	11.13
Oats ... { Area, acs.	129,738	225,492	194,816	246,129	461,430	616,857	859,020
Oats ... { Yld., bshl	3,090,982	4,251,630	4,795,897	5,726,256	9,789,854	9,561,833	15,232,048
Oats ... { Av. "	23.82	18.85	24.62	23.27	21.22	15.50	17.73
Barley ... { Area, acs.	27,093	48,164	75,864	68,068	74,511	116,466	222,627
Barley ... { Yld., bshl	507,879	726,158	1,353,380	1,178,560	1,519,819	2,056,836	3,921,545
Barley ... { Av. "	18.75	15.08	17.84	17.31	20.40	17.68	17.62
Maize ... { Area, acs.	61,178	142,078	165,777	284,428	294,849	340,065	351,879
Maize ... { Yld., bshl	1,799,862	4,576,635	5,726,266	9,261,922	7,034,786	8,939,855	9,173,321
Maize ... { Av. "	29.18	32.21	34.54	32.56	23.86	26.29	27.56
Hay ... { Area, acs.	222,003	303,274	768,388	942,166	1,688,402	2,518,288	2,754,672
Hay ... { Yld., tons	298,184	375,871	767,194	1,067,255	2,024,608	2,867,973	3,372,596
Hay ... { Av. "	1.34	1.24	1.00	1.13	1.20	1.14	1.22
Potatoes* { Area, acs.	47,338	67,911	76,265	112,884	109,685	130,463	170,223
Potatoes* { Yld., tons	147,610	212,896	243,216	380,477	322,524	301,489	417,893
Potatoes* { Av. "	3.12	3.13	3.19	3.37	2.94	2.31	2.45
Sugar Cane § { Area, acs.	...	11,576	19,708	45,444	86,950	101,010	109,001
Sugar Cane § { Yld., tons	...	176,632	349,627	737,573	1,367,802	1,682,250	2,271,558
Sugar Cane § { Av. "	...	15.25	17.74	16.23	15.73	16.65	20.84
Vineyards { Area, acs.	7,010	16,253	14,570	48,882	63,677	60,602	62,941
Vineyards { Wine, gal	495,000	2,104,000	1,488,000	3,535,000	5,816,087	4,975,147	...
Total value all agricultural production	£ ...	8,941,000	15,519,000	16,480,000	23,835,000	38,773,678	46,260,000
Pastoral, dairying, etc.							
Live Stock { Sheep, No.	20,980,123	40,072,955	65,092,719	106,421,068	72,040,211	93,003,521	85,057,402
Live Stock { Cattle, No.	3,846,554	4,277,228	8,010,991	11,112,112	8,491,428	11,828,954	11,483,882
Live Stock { Horses, No.	431,695	701,530	1,088,029	1,584,737	1,620,420	2,279,027	2,521,983
Live Stock { Pigs, No.	319,147	586,017	703,188	845,888	931,309	1,110,721	800,505
Wool prod., lb. greasy	...	179,000,000	332,759,000	631,587,000	543,131,661	726,408,625	711,134,203
Butter product'n, lbs.	...	...	...	47,433,564	101,671,066	211,573,745	198,758,238
Cheese "	...	...	...	19,146,929	11,575,692	15,886,712	19,743,415
Bacon and ham "	...	...	...	...	34,020,629	53,264,652	52,673,688
Total estimated value of pastoral and dairying production	£ ...	20,736,000	29,538,000	39,256,000	36,890,000	69,832,000	78,207,000
Mineral production—							
Gold... £	9,950,000	7,239,106	5,194,390	5,281,861	14,005,732	10,551,624	9,376,573
Silver and lead ... £	5,702	29,488	31,139	3,717,825	2,367,687	3,021,284	4,713,109
Copper ... £	458,758	824,111	673,786	362,745	2,238,590	2,564,278	3,269,385
Tin ... £	11,937	18,597	1,145,603	560,750	432,576	1,209,973	1,401,571
Zinc... £	...	...	...	2,622	4,057	1,415,169	1,547,987
Coal... £	228,935	325,747	636,746	1,908,028	2,602,770	3,929,673	4,628,063
Total value all mineral production	£ 10,657,533	8,484,728	7,813,523	12,093,837	22,043,104	23,480,211	25,807,557
Forestry production—							
Quantity of local timber sawn or hewn sup. ft.	†	†	†	†	452,131,252	591,645,786	683,091,691
Manufactories—†							
No. of factories ...	...	...	...	...	...	14,455	15,536
Hands employed No.	...	...	...	...	...	311,710	337,101
Wages paid ... £	...	...	...	...	...	27,528,371	33,606,087
Total value of output	£ ...	...	...	...	...	133,022,090	161,560,763
Value added in process of manufac. £	...	...	...	...	...	54,017,714	65,153,286

* Partly estimated 1861, 1871, and 1881. † Owing to variation in classification and lack of information effective comparison is impossible ‡ Information not available. § Area of productive cane. || Season ended 30th June, year following. ** Information so far as at present available.

STATISTICAL SUMMARY FOR THE COMMONWEALTH—(continued).

Heading.	Years.						
	1861.	1871.	1881.	1891.	1901.	1911.	1913.
Shipping—							
Oversea vessels { No. 2,466 2,748 3,284 3,778 4,028 4,174 3,985							
ent. & cleared { ton. 1,149,476 1,312,642 2,549,364 4,726,307 6,541,991 9,984,801 10,646,749							
Commerce—							
Imports oversea £ 17,651,000 17,017,000 29,067,000 37,711,000 42,434,000 66,967,488 79,749,653							
„ per head £ 15/5/2 10/3/3 12/16/2 11/16/0 11/3/11 14/18/3 16/12/0							
Exports oversea £ 17,413,000 21,725,000 27,528,000 36,043,000 49,696,000 79,482,258 78,571,769							
„ per head £ 15/1/1 12/19/6 12/2/8 11/5/6 13/2/2 17/14/1 16/7/2							
Total oversea trade £ 35,064,000 38,742,000 56,595,000 73,754,000 92,130,000 146,449,746 158,321,422							
„ per head £ 30/6/3 23/2/9 24/18/10 23/1/6 24/6/1 32/12/4 32/19/2							
Customs and excise duties ... £ ... 4,809,326 7,440,869 8,656,530 13,515,005 15,040,058							
„ per head, £ ... 2/2/5 2/6/7 2/5/8 3/0/2 3/2/8							
Principal Oversea Ex-ports—							
Wool { lbs. (greasy) 60,367,492 176,635,820 328,369,169 619,259,753 518,018,134 720,364,903 660,474,075							
£ 5,005,799 9,459,629 13,173,026 19,940,029 15,237,454 26,071,193 26,277,062							
Wheat { bushels 87,249 799,924 5,364,653 9,794,791 20,260,058 55,147,840 42,922,887							
£ 24,041 193,732 1,189,762 1,938,864 2,774,643 9,641,608 7,987,477							
Flour { tons 7,602 12,988 49,549 33,363 96,814 175,891 221,658							
£ 113,172 170,415 519,635 328,423 589,604 1,391,529 1,863,667							
Butter { lbs. 664,160 1,812,688 1,298,758 4,239,494 34,607,397 101,722,136 75,802,303							
£ 21,692 45,813 39,383 206,868 1,451,168 4,637,362 3,565,282							
Skins and hides... £ 180,292 100,123 316,878 873,695 1,250,938 3,227,236 5,539,827							
Tallow ... £ 148,201 914,278 644,149 571,069 677,745 1,936,599 2,160,253							
Meats ... £ 37,575 566,780 362,965 460,894 2,611,244 4,307,273 7,713,068							
Timber (undressed) £ 32,367 42,586 118,117 38,448 731,301 1,023,960 971,278							
Gold ... £ 9,957,056 7,184,833 6,445,365 5,703,532 14,315,741 12,045,766 3,545,216							
Silver and lead ... £ 4,237 37,891 57,954 1,932,278 2,250,253 3,224,720 4,645,521							
Copper ... £ 381,718 598,538 676,515 417,687 1,619,145 2,349,443 2,977,940							
Coal... £ 63,061 134,355 361,081 645,972 986,957 900,622 1,121,505							
Railways—							
Lgh. of line open, mls 205 970 3,832 9,541 12,577 16,079 17,775							
Capital cost ... £ 6,654,516 19,269,786 42,741,350 99,764,090 123,587,000 152,896,000 171,225,000							
Gross revenue ... £ 318,823 1,102,650 3,910,122 8,654,085 11,038,000 17,848,000 19,954,000							
Working expenses £ 234,040 608,332 2,141,735 5,630,182 7,149,000 11,054,000 13,595,000							
Per cent. of work g ex- penses on earnings% 73.41 55.17 54.77 65.06 64.76 61.94 68.14							
Postal—							
Letters and postcards dealt with ... No. 12,844,000 24,382,000 67,640,000 157,297,000 220,853,000 453,885,000 541,069,000							
„ „ per head „ 11.13 14.54 29.61 49.07 58.26 101.1 112.6							
Newspapers dealt with ... No. 9,603,000 13,336,000 38,063,000 85,280,000 102,727,000 139,604,000 149,740,000							
„ „ per head „ 8.32 7.95 16.66 26.61 27.10 31.1 31.2							
Cheque-paying Banks—							
Note circulation £ 2,970,357 2,456,487 3,978,711 4,417,269 3,406,175 †876,428 330,810							
Coin & bullion held £ 4,662,415 6,168,869 9,108,243 16,712,923 19,737,572 30,024,225 33,684,023							
Advances ... £ 18,261,129 26,039,573 57,732,824 129,741,583 89,167,499 116,769,133 115,308,140							
Deposits ... £ 13,817,435 21,856,959 53,849,455 98,345,338 90,965,530 147,103,081 154,508,380							
Savings Banks—							
Number of depositors 27,877 100,713 250,070 614,741 964,553 1,600,112 2,054,836							
Total deposits ... £ 1,320,739 3,193,285 7,854,480 15,536,592 30,882,645 59,393,682 80,277,812							
Aver. per depositor £ 47/7/7 31/14/2 31/8/2 25/5/6 32/0/4 37/2/4 39/1/4							
„ head of population ... £ 0/18/8 1/18/9 3/10/5 4/18/7 8/4/0 13/8/5 16/12/0							
State Schools—							
Number of schools 1,864 2,502 4,494 6,231 7,012 8,060 8,647							
Teachers ... No. 2,471 4,641 9,028 12,564 14,500 16,971 19,440							
Enrolment ... 106,049 236,710 432,320 561,153 638,478 638,850 686,915							
Aver. attendance „ 73,446 137,767 255,143 350,773 450,246 463,799 515,948							

* Australian produce, except gold, which includes re-exports.

† Decrease due to issue of Australian notes.